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Minutes of proceedings of meeting of the
Langham Loan Commissioners held on
Monday March 16th 1931.

In the Chair - Mr. P. Cahill, (Chairman.)

Members present - Messrs M. Greene, J. V. Langham,
J. Dennis, M. Ward, M. Flynn & J. Flynn.

Minutes of last meeting were read confirmed &
signed -

Submitted Estimate & Specification for Iron gate
2 Concrete pillars, Capping on front &
South east wall of Bridwell, 1 door & frame
supplies - 1 door supplied & fixed - from
Mr. Gilchrist dated 16/3/31.

Order - Advertise for tenders to be considered
at next meeting -

Submitted tender signed J. MacFarlane for
heap of manure at the Bridwell £1-2-0.
Order - "Accepted" as it is the only tender
submitted.

Read correspondence from the Irish Tenant
Association - requesting the Board to include
in the setting of their Rate, a tourist
advertising rate.

Order - "Reply stating the Co. Council have
already dealt with the matter."

Clark was directed to write to the Temperance
Committee with a view to getting their permission
for the storing of the hose in their meeting room.

Read Resolution from the Urban Council, Lullamore condemning the article which appeared which appeared in the "Daily Mail" under the heading of "the new increased life of Christ".

In the proposition of Mr. Cahill, seconded by Mr. O'Laughlin it was unanimously adopted.

Read letter of thanks from Most Rev. Dr. Wignam for vote of sympathy on the death of the late Dr. Keenan.

Read letter from the Elec. Supply Board stating that the pole at the corner corner was having their attention.

Read letter from Sec. Board of Health re claim of 4/3 for sewer connections in Moan St.

Order - Reply stating that the Act. Town Sergeant was of opinion that repairs were urgent and required immediate attention.

Submitted application for breaking of stones signed J. J. Walsh and John Burke.

Order - "Act. Town Sergeant to give breaking of stones to the unemployed provided they are broken to his satisfaction."

The Act. Town Sergeant was directed to get the houses' cellars fixed.

The Chairman states he interposed Mr. MacNichols re planting trees at Bridewell.

Read letter from Mr. Moran thanking the Board for resolution passed adopted with Viscount Larcells. P. Cahill 6.4.31

At the Monthly Meeting of the Lullamore Town Commissioners held on Mon. April 6th 1931 the Board had under consideration the Rate in the £ to be struck for the year ended 31st March 1931.

In the proposition of Mr. Cahill, seconded by Mr. O'Laughlin the Board unanimously decided in striking 1/- in the pound upon all occupiers of houses and premises within the township and in proportion of one fourth of such Rate upon meadows pasture and arable land.

The Chairman declared that 1/- in the £ was the Rate struck for the period from 31/3/30 to 31/3/31.

All Members present affixed their names to the Warrant. viz:
Messrs. Mr. Flynn, Mr. Hynes, C. O'Laughlin, Mr. Greene & P. Cahill.

Minutes of proceedings at Monthly Meeting of the Loughrea Town Commissioners held on Monday April 6th 1931.

In the Chair - Mr. P. Cahill, Chairman.

Members present - Messrs C. Coughlan, M. Greene, J. Dennis, M. Aynes, M. Flynn.

Minutes of last meeting were read, confirmed and signed.

Submitted Tenders for the erection of Iron Gate Coping on Walls etc. as per advertisement.

from Mr. P. Cuy, Galway Rd. £ 20-10-0.

Mr. Mac Donnell, Moke St. 35-10-0.

Mr. Burke Galway Rd. 25-0-0.

Mr. Cuy's Tender being the lowest was accepted.

Order - "Get Securities viz Messrs Martin Brown Craughwell & Edward Mac Kee, Carabane to sign Bond for said Contract."

Submitted report from Act. Town Sergeant stating he had removed the Fire Hose to his own house in order to prevent dampness there against dampness.

Order - "Approved".

Act. Town Sergeant also reported that his father was unable to resume duty.

Order - "One month's leave granted."

The Board decided in placing an iron gate on the Western entrance to the Dumping

ground.

Submitted list of stock for year ended 31/3/31 signed by the Act. Town Sergeant.

Order - "Approved".

Read Report re death of the Board's Horse on April 5th 1931, as the result of an accident to the frog of the foot.

Order - "Advertise for a Horse Strong Draft Horse 16 hands high, 4 or 5 yrs. old."

The Chairman & Mr. Aynes were deputed to select Horse.

Clerk was directed to advertise for tenders for the grazing of field period from 23/4/31 to 23/4/32 also for the supply of sand, cement, Bass brooms, nails, screws, etc. etc.

Tenders to be considered at next meeting.

Read letter from the Elec. Supply Board stating the pole referred to was attached to

on the proposition of Mr. Greene, seconded by Mr. Cahill, the Board extended sympathy

to Misses Silver on the death of their sister

Marion - Mrs. J. J. Hanafin on the death of

her mother & Miss A. Supple on the

death of her sister Miss K. Supple.

The pay sheet was signed by the Chairman and two members of the Board all payments entered therein together with £ 51 to Clerk for contingencies.

J. Cahill 4. 5. 31

Minutes of proceedings at Monthly Meeting of the Loughrea Town Commissioners held on Monday May 4th 1931.

In the Chair - Mr. P. Cahill, Chairman.

Members present - Messrs J. V. Laughlin, M. Greene, J. Devine & M. Ward.

In Attendance - The Sch. Town Sergeant & Clerk.

Minutes of last meeting were read, confirmed & signed.

The following Tenders for grazing of field at Palleneluck for period ended April 1932, were considered viz:-

Messrs Patrick Realy, Dunkellin St.,	£ 5-10-0.
James Dunne, Barnack St.	4-10-0.
Messrs Realy, Main St.	6-0-0.
Thomas Connaire, Galway Rd.	6-0-0.

On the proposition of Mr. Greene, seconded by Mr. Devine, the Tender of Mr. Connaire was accepted.

For the supply of Buss Brooms, Shovels, Pencil etc., the Tender of Mr. Connaire was accepted for period ending 31st March 1932.

Mr. John Realy's (Ballingary) Tender for the supply of sand @ 2/6 per ton was accepted - it being the only Tender submitted.

The Chairman moved his notice motion handed in at last meeting - "That one meeting instead of two be held each month in future."

Mr. Greene seconded the motion which was unanimously adopted.

On the motion of Mr. Ward, seconded by Mr. Dewing it was unanimously agreed that the hour of meeting in summer be altered from 8 to 9 p.m.

The Chairman reported that "owing to Mr. Sykes not attending at place appointed for selecting Borse, he (Chairman) left the matter over for the meeting to approve of his purchasing Mr. Connaire's Borse at £20."

The Board unanimously approved of the purchase of Borse from Mr. Connaire, Church St., at £20.

The painting of seats & gates in the walls etc. were referred to the Sch. Farm Sergeant.

The erection of gate & Pillars at the Dumping ground was approved of.

Read Report stating that the Farm Sergeant was unable to resume duty owing to illness.

Order - "put on Agenda for next meeting"

the matter of permanently appointing Mr. P. J. Finney as Farm Sergeant in ~~the~~ succession to his father."

On the proposition of Mr. Greene, seconded by the Chairman the Board extended sympathy to Mrs. Mannion P.O. on the death of her Mother.

Read letter from Mr. A. E. Macean, expressing the Earl of Buxwood's appreciation of their Resolution re Dunlop field accident.

Chair reported that Mr. Donighan had signed Mr. Bartlett's ^{Coys} Bond in lieu of Mr. Brown, Craughwell.

Order - "Get Bond signed by another Surety"

The pay sheet was signed by the Chairman & 2 members of the Board all payments entered therein including -
 £12 on A/c to Mr. P. Lay, (Bridwell Contract)
 £20 to Mr. Connaire for Borse purchased,
 together with £28 to Clerk for Contingencies

W. Cahill 1.6.31

Minutes of proceedings of Monthly Meeting
of the Loughrea San Commissioners
held on Monday June 1st 1931.

In the Chair - Mr. P. Cahill, (Chairman)

Members present - Messrs J. V. Laughlin, M. Greene
J. Mulcair, M. Dynes, C. Laughlan
and subsequently W. J. Duffy.

Minutes of last meeting were read, confirmed
and signed.

Resolution from Galway Urban Council, calling
upon the Ministry of Local Government &
Public Health to assist to Galway her ancient
status as a Borough - was unanimously
adopted.

Insurance of Bridewell dwelling houses,
House, House containing House, Watering
Carts etc., and Hay - were under discussion.

Order - "Write to the Mutual Insurance Co. with
a view to having them covered by their
Society."

Rates Clerk reported that £62 was amt.
of Current Rate lodged.
Approved.

Appointment of Town Steward - The appointment

of a Town Steward was not discussed, notice of which was put on the Agenda.

Mr. O'Laughlin proposed and Mr. Ward seconded that Mr. P. J. Linnegan jun. be appointed Town Steward at the same salary as that of his father.

Mr. Green proposed that a working ganger be appointed.

After some discussion on the matter the Chairman declared Mr. P. J. Linnegan jun. appointed Town Steward at the salary of £45-12-0 per annum subject to sanction "(unanimous)" by the Local Government Dept."

On the proposition of Mr. Green seconded by Mr. Cahill the Board's sympathy was extended to Mr. W. Carroll h. p. on the death of his wife, & Mrs. Mannion P. O. on the death of her brother.

Mr. Green proposed & Mr. Mulcair seconded a vote of sympathy with Mrs. Crowley & family on the death of her husband the late Mr. Crowley, M. D.

The Chairman was deputed to interview the Co. Surveyor re footpath outside Convent also position of Elec. pole in same place

Clerk was directed to write Re arrears of Rent due by Jas. Robinson & P. Cullinane.

Clerk reported that agreement with Elec. Supply Board expired 31/3/31.

Order - "pay 2 mths Bill of £16-13-4 for 2 months lighting"

Read Circular dated 24th May 31 No 49/31 from the Minister Local Government, Re postponement of Elections to local authorities stating that public Bodies will be advised as to the progress of the Bill.

The pay sheet was signed by the Chairman & 2 members of the Board, all payments entered therein including £40 to Clerk for Contingencies -

J. Cahill 6. 7. 31

Minutes of Annual Meeting of the
Langhrea Farm Commissioners held
on Friday 26th June 1931.

Members present were -

Messrs J. Mulcair, P. Cahill, M. Ward

P. Duane & M. Greene.

In the proposition of Mr. Ward, seconded
by Mr. Greene the Board unanimously

re-elected Mr. P. Cahill as Chairman

for the coming year.

Passed Unanimously.

Mr. Cahill thanked the Board in suitable
terms for re-electing him Chairman.

The Chairman signed the usual Declaration
accepting the office.

J. Patrick Cahill being a person
Elected as Chairman for the Sanchoe
Town Commissioners in the County of Galway
hereby declare that I take the said office
upon myself and will duly and faithfully
fulfil the duties to the best of my
judgment and ability.

Dated this ~~26th~~ June 1931.

Signed - J. Cahill
26th June 1931.

Witnessed (Mrs.) B. M. Kieley,
Town Clerk 26/6/31.

Minutes of proceedings of Monthly meeting of the Langhrea Town Commissioners held on Monday July 6th 1931.

In the Chair - Mr. P. Cahill, Chairman.

Members present - Messrs M. Green, J. O'Laughlin, J. Mulcair, C. Coughlan & W. Ward.

Minutes of last meeting were ~~read~~ signed as read.

Mr. Green proposed and the Chairman seconded a vote of sympathy with Mr. J. Linn, Barrack St., on the death of his wife Mrs. Helen Linn.
"Passed Unanimously."

Mr. Coughlan proposed a vote of sympathy with Mr. Silvers on the death of their child who was accidentally killed.
Order - "Adjourns until after the Court."

The Chairman reported as follows -
"I beg to report that the horse recently purchased by the Town Commissioners has gone wrong in one leg. Mr. Connors from whom we purchased the horse has consented to take back the horse, and refund the money on condition that he be paid ^{wages} to Council for his use."

Order - "Approved Unanimously"
The Correspondence was adjourned to

next meeting -

The pay sheet was signed by the Chairman & two members of the Board all payments entered therein including £1.10 to Clerk for contingencies -

J. Cahill 3. 8. 31

Minutes of proceedings of Monthly Meeting of the Langhrea Town Commissioners held on Monday 3rd Aug 1931.

In the Chair - Mr. P. Cahill, Chairman.

Members present - Messrs J. Devine, M. Ward, P. Coughlan, J. O'Langhin and M. J. Lyons.

Minutes of last meeting were read, confirmed and signed -

Mr. Ward proposed a vote of condolence with the family of the late Mr. J. J. Ryan. Seconded by Mr. J. O'Langhin and resolved -

"That we desire to place on record our deep sense of the loss sustained by the people of Langhrea & District on the lamented death of Mr. J. J. Ryan and desire to convey to the members of his family our sincere sympathy in their bereavement."

On the motion of Mr. Coughlan, seconded by Mr. Ward the Board voted sympathy to Very Rev. Fr. Prior & members of the Abbey Community on the death of Rev. Fr. Vincent Sweeney, O. D. C.

Mr. Devine proposed that the meeting adjourn without transacting any business as a mark of respect to the memory of the late Fr. Vincent and Mr. Ryan. The Chairman seconded the Resolution and the meeting then adjourned to Friday 4th inst.

The Clerk was directed to summon meeting for 9 p.m. in future.
P. Cahill y. 8. 31

Minutes of proceedings of Adjourned
Monthly Meeting of the Sanghai Town
Commissioners held on Friday Aug. 4th 1931.

In the Chair - Mr. P. Cahill, Chairman.

Members present - Messrs J. Mulcair, J. Hyman,
Mr. Ward, J. Dennis, Mr. Dwyer, C. Coughlan &
Mr. J. Green.

Prior to the minutes being read, Mr. Dennis
proposed & Mr. Green seconded that Mr. Finnegan
leave the room while a letter from the
L. G. Dept. re his appointment was under consideration.
Mr. O'Laughlin prop. that Mr. Finnegan remain
in the room. Mr. Coughlan seconded.

On a poll being taken, only 2 voted for Mr.
Dennis's proposition - 6 voting against - and
Mr. Finnegan remained in the room.

The minutes were then read confirmed & signed.

~~The Clerk~~ read a letter from the L. G. Dept.
stating that the Ministry was not aware
of sufficient need for a position of
Town Steward in Sanghai.

Mr. O'Laughlin proposed "that a statement
of Mr. Finnegan's duties be forwarded to
the Ministry & that he be retained as
Town Steward."

Mr. Green proposed & Mr. Dennis seconded
that he be appointed as a Working Officer.

As Mr. Green's proposition was out of order
& could not be accepted, Mr. O'Laughlin's
motion was then passed, Mr. Dwyer seconded.

Read report from Town Steward re frequent
openings on the streets of the town.

On the suggestion of Mr. O'Laughlin the report
was adopted & an order made to send a
copy of same to the Board of Health.

Read circular from the Municipal Authorities
of Ireland re conference Sept. 15th & 16th 31.

The matter was adjourned.

The Chairman reported that "the horse purchased
from Mr. Connors had lost the use of one
of its legs."

The Board agreed with Mr. Connors (who was
present at meeting) to refer the matter to
Mr. Dwyer for arbitration.

Messrs Cahill & Dwyer were deputed to
purchase another horse.

Clerk reported she notified Jas. Robinson's
society re arrears of rent.

Order "Refer to Mr. Dwyer."

Clerk reported that £10.9 was amt. of Rates
collected & lodged. "Approved."

An order was made to draw the attention
of the Garda Síochána to the speed of motorcars.

passing through the town -

The pay sheet was signed by the
Chairman & two members of the Board
all payments entered therein including
£ 42 for Contingencies & cost of horse.

J. Cahill y. 9. 51

Minutes of the proceedings of Monthly Meeting
of the Loughrea Town Commissioners
held on Monday Sept. 4th 1931.

In the Chair - Mr. P. Cahill, (Chairman)

Members present - Messrs J. Muleaj,
M. Hynes, M. Greene, C. Coughlan & J. O'Laughlin.

Minutes of last meeting were read confirmed
and signed -

The Chairman submitted "Arbitration Award"
signed by Dr. Coyne & L. O. dated 24th Aug. 31
re purchase of House from Mr. J. Connors -
Church St., Loughrea.

On Mr. Greene's proposition, seconded by
Mr. M. Hynes the Board unanimously
agreed - that "Mr. Connors be paid 30/- per
week for 9 weeks for the work of the house."
Order - "Granted"

Mr. Greene proposed and Mr. Hynes seconded
that a deputation ^{consisting} of all the members
present at the meeting together with Mr.
M^{rs} Donnell Station Master (who was present at
the meeting.) interview the traders of the
town with a view to presenting the
Branch line from Altymon to Loughrea
from being closed down.
It was also agreed that a Resolution be

sent to the Minister of Industry & Commerce,
the Directors of the G. S. Railway and to each
S. D. for the County, requesting the Government
to protect the Company.

On the proposition of Mr. O'Laughlin,
seconded by Mr. Hynes, Mr. P. J. Finnegan Jnr.
was appointed Town Rate Collector, subject
to the provision of a Bond and the
Sanction of the Ministry.

The Chairman reported that he received a
letter from the Ministry of L. Dept. stating
he had no objection to Mr. Finnegan's
appointment.

No Order made.

Read letter from the Supt. Civic Guards stating
re Speed and traffic regulations.

Order - "Adjourn pending the proposed
New Regulations"

On the proposition of Mr. Greene, seconded
by the Chairman the Board's sympathy
was tendered to Mrs. Hunt on the death
of her father.

Read letters of thanks for notes of sympathy
passed on the death of Rev. Fr. Vincent
O. W. C. and Dr. J. J. Ryan, Mount Pleasant.

X The Chairman submitted Correspondence together with Resolutions from Mr. R. W. Burke, Town, Re Housing Schemes and Slum Clearance.

On the proposition of Mr. Dynes Seconded by Mr. Cahill the Resolution Re Housing Schemes and Slum Clearance was Unanimously adopted.

The list for insertion of towns people's names was referred to Mr. Linnegan.

On the proposition of the Chairman Seconded by Mr. W. Loughlin, "the Board decided in procuring old sites for the purpose of erecting new houses."

All members present were appointed as Sites Committee - and an order made that a plan & specification be got from Mr. Giehrich for a £400 house.

Town Steward was directed to "have 1 w.c. erected in the Bridewell at the eastern wall and to have a connection made to the main sewerage."

Read letter from Mr. Gallagher Re openings on Roads suggesting that deposit be lodged with the Town Clerk.

Order - ~~Have~~ "Deposit ^{to be} lodged with Clerk."

An order was made to "purchase a head for the Machine Sweeping Brush from the Official Contractor."

The Town Steward was directed to take action if any offender is found sweeping rubbish on to the streets.

Submitted bill from Mr. A. Mcvicar, Kilmore for house sold to the Board £24-0-0, also bill for 10/- for Veterinary services. Order - "pay." £24-10-0.

Clerk directed to submit the former Town Sergeant's Bond at next meeting.

The pay sheet was signed by the Chairman & two members of the Board all payments entered therein including £30 to Clerk for Contingencies.

P. Cahill 5-10-31

Minutes of Monthly Meeting of the
Kangaroo Town Commissioners held on Monday
Oct. 5th 1931.

In the Chair - Mr. P. Cahill, (Chairman)

Members present - Messrs Mr. Greene, J. Mulcair,
C. Coughlan & Mr. Ward.

Minutes of last meeting were read confirmed &
signed.

On the proposition of Mr. Greene, Seconded
by Mr. Coughlan the Board unanimously
adopted a Resolution from the Swan Town
Commissioners with reference to the Government's
delay re transit of goods by rail.

Read letter No. Y. 72921/1931 from the Ministry
L.Y. Dept. inquiring if the position of Rate
Collector was duly advertised? etc?

Order - "Advertise the position for next meeting"

Clerk reported that owing to the Manager,
Kilbrinin Bank, being away she was unable to
procure Mr. Sinnegant's Bond. (Town Sergeant)

Order - "Have Bond submitted at next meeting"

Read letter of thanks from the Great S. Railway
Co. for Resolution passed ^{on the 4th inst.} re transit of goods
per road.

Read letter from the Secretary Dept. Industry &
Commerce acknowledging receipt of above Resolution
stating that the matter would be placed before
the Dept. at an early date.

"Approved"

Mr. Greene proposed that a Deputation wait on
all the traders with a view to requesting them
get their goods by rail.

After some discussion the matter dropped.

An order was made to apply for to the Co. Council
for permission to connect to the main sewer
the W.C. that is to be erected in the Bridewell.

Clerk was directed to write to Secretary of the
Cleansing Department re purchase of a Lumbering
Cart.

Submitted List of Rate Defaulters.

Order - proposed by Mr. Mulcair Seconded
by the Chairman - that "Rate Collector have
all outstanding collectable Rates collected
and Report on same at next meeting."

On the proposition of Mr. Greene, Seconded

by the Chairman the Board's sympathy was extended to Miss Mac Dermott on the death of her sister Mrs. Flynn, White Mills, Mea.

Mr. Coughlan proposed and the Chairman seconded a note of sympathy with Sr. Dunning C.C. on the death of his father Mr. J. Dunning Athlone.

It was proposed by Mr. Coughlan, seconded by Mr. Mulcair that the hour for meetings be fixed for 8 p.m. during the winter months.

Order - "Summer meetings for 8 p.m."

Submitted Forms A & B. No. 14129 under the Housing Acts 1929-1930 for payment of grant of £45 to Mr. P. Mac Ligne, Galway Rd. Mea.

Order - "Forward Certificate to Mr. Mac Ligne"

Read letter from Mr. Gallagher (Secretary, Galway Board of Health) suggesting that deposit re "street-opening" be lodged with the Contractors same as heretofore.

On the proposition of Chairman, seconded by Mr. Coughlan, Mr. Gallagher's suggestion was agreed to.

J. Cahill 2. 11. 31

Minutes of proceedings of Monthly Meeting of the Leixlip Town Commissioners held on Monday 24th Nov. 1931.

In the Chair - Mr. P. Cahill (Chairman)

Members present - Messrs Mr. Greene, Mr. Hynes, P. Duane, & J. Flynn.

Minutes of last meeting were read confirmed & signed.

Submitted Report from Mr. Linnegan recommending that Mr. Killoran, W. S. and Reps. Mr. J. Indleeb be requested to have hedges cut down to allow the roadway to dry.
An Order was made accordingly.

The Board struck off all the uncollectible Rates and made an order to have Rate Collection closed before next meeting.

Read letter from the Street Cleansing Department Dublin stating they had no Lumbering Carts for sale.

Order - "Messrs M. Greene & M. Hynes examine the Board's Cart with a view to having it repaired."

An Order was made to refer to Mr. Ryan the Sanitary arrangements of the Court House.

Mr. Hogan, Minister for Agriculture wrote acknowledging Resolution re closing down of the Athy to Lica Railway line, & stating he had taken the matter up with the Minister of Industry & Commerce.

"Approved"

Read letter from Mr. Banajin, (Secretary C. Home Committee) stating that the Commissioners (acting for the Board of Health) has directed that minutes of the C. Home do some work for the Town Commissioners.

Mr. Greene proposed & Mr. Hynes seconded to "accept the Commissioner's offer"

Mr. Duane proposed "not to accept the offer"

Mr. Greene's proposition was carried as Mr. Duane had no seconders.

Read letter signed P. Connors, Bk. St. stating he was "unable to pay Balance due on horse until he disposed of one of his horses"

Order - "Balance to be paid before next meeting."

Re stoppage of Water supply in Bridewell.

(An Order was made as follows) - Order -

"Let Mr. Donovan to repair same & submit bill to Board of Health."

Mr. Wane proposed to pay poundage on amount of Rates collected and lodged.
Mr. Dyes Seconded.

Mr. Greene proposed to defer payment until Rates were closed.

As Mr. Greene had no Seconder an Order was made "to pay"

The pay sheet was signed by the Chairman & two members of the Board
all payments entered therein.

J. Cahill 7. 12. 31

Minutes of proceedings of Monthly meeting of the Loughrea Town Commissioners held on Monday ~~the~~ 7th 1931.

In the Chair - Mr. P. Cahill, Chairman.

Members present were - Messrs Mr. Greene, C. Coughlan, W. J. Duffy, Mr. Flynn, Mr. Dynes and Mr. Ward.

Minutes of last meeting were read confirmed and signed -

On the proposition of Mr. Ward seconded by Mr. Duffy the Board unanimously decided on striking a Town Rate (rather of which was put on the Agenda) of 1/- in the pound upon all the occupiers of houses & premises within the township and in proportion of one fourth of such Rate upon messuages pasture & arable land.

The Chairman declared that 1/- in the £ was the Rate struck for the period 31/3/31 to 31/3/32.

Read Correspondence from the Elec. Supply Board re public lighting for the year ending 31st March 1932 - stating that Contracts between the Board & Local Authorities are not affected by the proposed increases.

Order "Accept terms set out in their

Agreement"

Read letter from the Galway Co. Council stating that a general permission has been given to the Commissioners to open streets in Loughrea for sewerage purposes etc. Order - "Approved"

Clerk was directed to write to the Elec. Supply Board with a view to finding out if there would be an extra charge for having lights ^{erected} when the poles already exists viz - "King's Entry" - [Mount Pleasant] & the Convent] Co. Home Road.

Amended -

Submitted application signed P. J. Finnegan for position as Town Rate Collector naming Messrs M. Dynes, & P. Healy Kinkellin St. as his Sureties.

On the proposition of Mr. Ward seconded by Mr. Coughlan the Board appointed Mr. P. J. Finnegan as Rate Collector as per terms advertised.

Clerk was directed to get Mr. Flynn to draw up the Bond for Mr. Finnegan as Road Steward and Rate Collector, and have it signed by the above Sureties.

On the proposition of Mr. M. Dynes seconded by Mr. M. Flynn the Board unanimously passed a Resolution re the appointments of Mr. Sta Ryan, to the Co. Home and

Dr. Charles Ryan is the Dispensary Secy.

Copies of the Resolutions were ordered to be sent to the Co. Galway Board of Health, the appointments' Commissioners and the J.D.'s for the County.

"It having come to our knowledge as Representatives of the towns people in this public Board that the vacancy created by our widely respected townsman, Dr. J. J. Ryan, at the Co. Boro & at the Dispensary Secy., is causing deep & profound anxiety amongst the community in general least his children Dr. Sta Ryan, at present in charge of the Co. Boro, and Dr. Charles Ryan, in charge of the Dispensary, Secy. may not be appointed in succession.

This Board desire to point out to the authorities that any appointment or selection to any of the positions other than that of Dr. Sta Ryan & Dr. Charles Ryan, will cause great dissatisfaction & unpleasantness -

We must regard such a situation as painful & undesirable from every point of view but especially from the viewpoint of public health.

We urge upon the Co. Board of Health & the Appointments Commissioners to listen to the universal appeal

which comes from all classes & sections religious & otherwise of the people & medical superintendent in favour of the appointments mentioned above as we believe the appointments would be in the interest of public health."

Read letter from Mrs. W. Duffy main St. requesting the Board to remove the stones from her land.

A bill for £6 was also submitted for 6 yrs accommodation as by size & damage done when removing stones.

"Order - "Give 8 loads of stones as requested & have all stones removed from land as soon as possible."

Order was directed to ask Mr. Chas. Ryan, has many W.C. are required in the Bridewell?

Town Steward was directed to have foot paths gravelled, & purchase cover for horse,

payment of Mr. Donovan's bill was referred to Mr. Finnegan.

On the prop. of Mr. Greene, seconded by Mr. M. Flynn, a resolution from the Longford District Council was adopted re free trading on the streets

Submitted cheque ^{of £3-16-0} from Mr. L. Connair,
being balance due Re Horse.

"Approved"

The amount for the times months Contingencies
was left to Mr. Innegans decision, who
stated £60 would be required.

The paysheet was signed by the Chairman
& two members of the Board all
payments entered therein including
£60 for Contingencies.

Mr. P. Cuy, attended the meeting, with a
view to getting the Board's permission
for Mr. Brown Craughwell, for an
entrance at the wall's gate Railings during
building of adjoined house.

Order - "permission granted provided the
Stakey Fathers do not object"

P. Cahill 4. 1. 32

Minutes of proceedings of Monthly meeting of the Loughrea Town Commissioners held on Monday Jan. 4th 1932.

In the Chair - Mr. Cahill, (Chairman.)

Members present - Messrs Mr. Green, Mr. Hynes, J. O'Laughlin, C. Oughlan & Mr. Flynn.

Minutes of last meeting were read confirmed and signed.

Mr. Emmegan reported that £ 1-6-8 was amt. due to Mr. Donovan for work done on the Bridewell -

Order - "pay amount ^{due as certified} stated by Mr. Emmegan"

Read letter from Mr. Chas. Ryan, stating that 2 W.C. would be required in the Bridewell.

Order - "Ask Mrs. Lynch for estimate & specification"

Clerk reported that Jas. Robinson was in arrears for rent of Bridewell rooms.

Order - "Mr. Emmegan to give him work ^{return} & stop wages for payment of rent."

Clerk was directed to have Mr. Emmegan's

Bonds drawn up by Dr. Lymmer R. L. W. in accordance with the Minister's sanctions.

Submitted a Resolution from the Waterford Council requesting the Government to amend the law dealing with vaccination so that certain children would not be liable for penalties under the Vaccination Acts -

Order - "Adopted"

On the proposition of the Chairman seconded by Mr. O'Laughlin the Board voted sympathy to Mrs. Fitzmaurice on the death of her husband.

The Board decided in applying for & the use of a room in the new Town Hall for monthly meetings.

Order - "Make application to the Directors."

The Board made an order "to write to the Secretaries of the Cumann na nGaedheal & Fianna Fail parties requesting them to refrain from making use of the dead walls of the town during the forthcoming election."

Read letter of Acknowledgement from Mr. Sirn Brodick J. W. ^{referring to} Resolution Re appointments of Mr. Chas. Ryan & Mr. Ita Ryan.

Order - "Approved."

Submitted report from Mr. Linnegan stating it would be advisable to employ the stone-crusher for crushing stones -
Order - "Apply for Crusher"

Read letter from Mr. Banagan stating the Water Rent on the Bridewell had been increased from 10/- to £1 per annum.

Order - "pay increase" and raise Rent of Tenant to meet same."

Clerk was directed to "write Mr. D. Regan, Electrician requesting him to have all street lamps lighted as per Elec. Supply Board's Agreement."

Submitted bill for £4-10-0 for stones supplied by Mr. Cayman.
Order - "pay"

Submitted the following bills for payment from - Mr. P. Kil bay £1-10-0 Repairs to G. Cart. Order "pay"

Mr. J. Donagan plumber - £2-4-9.

Order - "pay £1-6-8 as certified by Mr. Linnegan for Mr. Conaghan 10/- repairs to harness.

Order - "pay"
Lump sum to Committee £3 Rent of Meeting Room

Mr. Dealy 18/- for sand.

The pay sheet was signed by the Chair

man and two members of the Board all payments entered therein including £32 to Clerk for Contingencies -

J. Hill 4. 2. 32

minutes of Adjourned Monthly Meeting
of the Rathfriland Town Commissioners
held on Friday Feb. 4th 1932.

In the Chair - Mr. P. Cahill. (Chairman)

Members present - Messrs M. Dynes,
C. Coughlan, Mr. Greene, J. Mulcahy, &
J. O'Laughlin.

Minutes of last meeting were read,
Confirmed & signed.

Clerk submitted Mr. P. J. Finnegan's new
Bond together with all correspondence
re his appointment as Road Steward
and Rate Collector -

After some discussion on the matter
the Board unanimously (with Mr.
Greene dissenting) approved of the
new Bond and of Mr. Finnegan's appoint-
ments as above -

Read letter from the Elec. Supply Board
re extra lamps in the town suggesting
that it would be advisable to wait
until the new contract was drawn up in
April -
The Board agreed in waiting -

Submitted applications for Petrol Licence
from Messrs M. Sweeney, & the American
Oil Company -

Order - "Granted"

Submitted Correspondence & Resolution from
the Peoples Rights Association Dublin
calling upon all public Bodies to demand
an inquiry into the conditions in
Urban Hill Military Prison -

Order - "Rule out" ~~and~~ owing to a
Resolution being inserted in the Minutes
that no political matter be entertained
at meetings -

Submitted Road Steward's report stating
there were 110 tons broken stones in
Cosmona, & 40 tons in Cross St.

Clerk was directed to request Mr. O'Leary
to remove stones off roads -

Submitted Application from Mr. C. Dunne
to open up main St. in order to erect
a new Hydrant -

Order - "Permission granted"

Clerk was directed to write to Galway
County Council with a view to obtaining

X the site at the Abbey Riding next Miss Peicks, for the purpose of building dwelling house thereon -

An Order was made to mark "Read" a Resolution from the Letchin Co. Council re holding of meetings on Catholic Holidays -

Road Steward was directed to cut down the falling branches in the walks, and have shore adjacent to Mr. Mulcais - cleaned -

Clerk reported she received no correspondence from Mr. Gilchrist re Sanitary Arrangements in Bridwell -
Order - "Stand adjourned"

Mr. Mulcais prop. & Mr. Greene Seconded to pay Clerk £3 being for expenses incurred in the passing of the Valuations period 31/3/31 to 31/3/32 -
Order - "pay"

Mr. O'Laughlin prop. & Mr. Coughlan Seconded a vote of sympathy on the recent tragic death of John O'Shea -

Messrs Dynes, Mulcais & Ward were deputed to ^{to supply} ~~to supply~~ a room in the lower hall for holding meetings -

The pay sheet was signed by the Chairman & two members of the Board all payments entered therein together with £32 to Clerk for Contingents -

J. Cahill 7. 3. 33

Minutes of proceedings of Special
Meeting of the Loughrea Town
Commissioners held on Friday 19th Feb. 1931.

In the Chair - Mr. P. Cahill,

Members present - Messrs J. Mulcair,
Mr. Ward, J. Wynne, Mr. Dynes, C. Coughlan
& J. O'Leary.

Mr. P. Coy attended the meeting re
permission granted him on 4th Dec. 31.
for entrance at the Work's Railway in
Abbey St. during the rebuilding of adjoining
houses -

Notice of motion as follows was handed
in by Mr. M. Dynes - dated Feb. 14th 1932.
"Take notice that I will move at the next
meeting of the Town Commissioners that the
permission granted to Mr. P. Coy, to a
right of way adjoining two houses at
Abbey Lane, be rescinded."

On Mr. Dynes proposition seconded by
Mr. Ward, the Board unanimously agreed
in having above order made 4th Dec. 31.
Rescinded as the Board had no authority
to give permission to Mr. Coy -

No other business was transacted -

J. Cahill 7. 3. 32

Minutes of proceedings of Monthly meeting of the Langhlea San¹⁹ Commission held on Monday 4th March 32.

Mr. P. Cahill, (Chairman) presiding.

Members present were Messrs M. Hayes, J. O'Laughlin, Mr. Flynn, J. Devine, & J. C. Coughlan.

Minutes of Monthly meeting & of Special meeting were read confirmed and signed.

Mr. Devine proposed to adjourn meeting owing to death of Mr. Devine's father.

As there was no seconder the Business of the Board was carried on, (Mr. Devine leaving the meeting)

The Chairman proposed and Mr. Hayes seconded a vote of sympathy with Mr. P. Devine on the death of his father.

"Passed Unanimously"

Mr. Coy attended the meeting re Trees in Walks - Messrs O'Laughlin & Mr. Hayes were deputed to examine trees that were in danger of falling in the walks.

Submitted plan & specification from Mr. Gechrist re Sanitary arrangements in Bridewell.

Order - "Chairman deputed to interview Mr. Lee, Esq. Surveyor, with a view to devising a scheme re Court house and Bridewell Sanitary arrangements."

Clerk directed to advertise heap of manure for sale - Tenders to be considered by Town Steward.

X Submitted Housing Act 1931 together with Correspondence from the Local Government Dept. Re said Act.

Order "Adjourn" & "summon special meeting for the 9th inst. Invite Mr. Coyne to attend same."

An Order was made to have Market announced for the 16th instead of the 14th inst.

Clerk was directed to write to Miss Richards Agent, Dublin, re the Building of Lakeside wall.

Votes of sympathy were passed with Rev. Fr. Peter Thomas O.W.C. on the death of his sister - Mrs. Brogan, on the death of her mother the late Mrs. Joseph, Rev. Fr. O'Connor, Mullagh on the death of his father - Rev. Fr. J. Farrell, P.P. Leitrim, on the death of his mother & with the relatives of the late Dennis Reardon.

Minutes of Special Meeting of the
 Loughrea Town Commissioners held on
 4th March 1932 Re Housing Act 1931.

Mr. Cahill, Chairman, - presiding.

Members present - Messrs W. J. Duffy,
 Mr. Hynes, J. O'Laughlin, J. Mulcair,
 Mr. Greene, C. Coughlan & J. Devine.

Mr. Cuymer Solicitor to the Board ^{who} attended
 the meeting stated he had gone carefully
 into the Housing Act & that there
 was a section that gave them power
 to build.

He also informed the Board that they
 had power to levy a Rate as high as
 2/6 in the £ for Building purposes.

After a lengthy discussion on the matter
 a Sites Committee was appointed viz:-
 Messrs J. Mulcair, J. O'Laughlin,
 Mr. Greene, Mr. Hynes & the Chairman,
 for the purpose of formulating a
 Building Housing Scheme for Loughrea.

J. Cahill 8. 4. 32

Minutes of proceedings of Special Meeting
 of the Sites Committee held on Mon.
 28th March 1932.

Members present were Messrs Mr. Hynes,
 J. O'Laughlin, P. Cahill & subsequently
 J. Mulcair -

Submitted Tenders from Messrs
 Kennedy, Progan, Fahy & Silvers stating
 price required for Building sites.

Order - "Adjourn and put on agenda
 for next Monthly meeting."

J. Cahill 8. 4. 32

Minutes of proceedings of Monthly meeting of the Sanghed Linn Commission held on Monday April 14th 1932.

Mr. P. Cahill - In the Chair -

Members present: Messrs J. V. Laughlin, J. Mulcair, C. Coughlan, J. Lynn, J. M. Ryan.

The Chairman proposed and Mr. Mulcair seconded that the meeting adjourn without transacting any business in consequence of the death of their esteemed colleague, the late Mr. Martin J. Green.

The Resolution was passed in silence.

On the motion of Mr. Coughlan seconded by Mr. J. Lynn the Board tendered sympathy to Rev. Fr. Andrew, O.W.C. the Abbot on the death of Rev. Fr. Alphonsus, O.W.C. and to Mrs. Brogan, Bride St. on the death of her husband and Mrs. Christian Cross St. on the death of her husband.

The meeting adjourned to Friday 8th inst.

Mr. Nealy's order for gravel @ 2/3 per ton was accepted period from 3/3/32 to 3/10/32
Mr. Neophane's order for field @ 1-10-0 was accepted period from 23rd April 1932 to 23rd April 1933.

Messrs Betty & Sweeney tendered for Bass Brown's Cement etc.

Order - "Adjourn to next meeting"

J. P. Cahill 8.4.32.

Adjourned

Minutes of proceedings of a Monthly Meeting of the Loughrea Town Commissioners held on Friday April 8th 1932.

In the Chair - Mr. P. Cahill, Chairman.

Members present - Messrs J. Coughlan, P. Duane, J. O'Laughlin, J. Devine & Mr. Ward.

Minutes of last meetings held on March 9th, March 28th and April 4th were read confirmed and signed.

The Chairman informed the Board that Mr. Lee. C. Sweeney, was prepared to go "fifty-fifty" as the Sanitary arrangements in the Bridewell and Court House.

Order - "Unanimously approved."

On the proposition of Mr. Coughlan, seconded by Mr. O'Laughlin the Board made an order that "no meeting be adjourned only when the death of a member of the Board occurs".

It was unanimously decided that a Resolution be forwarded to the Department of Local Government & Public Health requesting that the "Central purchasing Act" be discontinued & purchases made from the Local Traders in the town.

James Stewart submitted "list of stock" for period ended 31/3/32.

Order - "Approved" "Mr. Coughlan deputed to examine the ladder."

Submitted Tenders for Housing Sites from Messrs Program, Kennedy, Silvers and Fahy - notice of which was put on the Agenda.

Order - "Adjourn consideration of same to a future date." (Date not mentioned)

Clerk was instructed to write to the Galway Co. Board of Health requesting them to prepare a scheme for the erection of 20 houses under the Labourer's Act.

The Chairman was deputed to draw the Co. Surveyor's attention to the state of Galway Road foot path.

Mr. Duane proposed and Mr. Devine seconded a vote of sympathy with Mr. Cleary ^{attorney} on the tragic death of his son.

Mr. Beatty's Tenders for Bass Brown ^{2/6}, Cement 4/9, Machine Oil, Carb Grease, Stock - Socks, was accepted.

Mr. J. Sweeney's Tenders for wire nails 2nd per lb. Cut nails 3rd per lb. was accepted.

X
 Read letter dated 10/3/32 from Mr. Lee
 Es. Surveyor stating he could not recommend
 that the site be in Abbey St. he gives
 as it would turn the "Walks" into a
 "cul-de-sac".

Order - "Noted"

Read letter dated 10/3/32 from the Department
 Local Government stating that men should
 be sought through the Employment Exchanges
 where additional workers are required.

Read letter of thanks from Rev. J. J.
 O'Connor, p.p. Mullagh.

On the proposition of Mr. Cahill, seconded by
 Mr. Ward a Resolution from Coram Urban Council
 re the Railway system was adopted.

The pay sheet was signed by the Chairman
 & two members of the Board all
 payments entered therein including
 £ 25 to Clerk for contingencies.

for Cahill 2. 5. 32

Minutes of proceedings at Monthly Meeting of the Loughrea Town Commissioners held on Monday May 2nd 1932.

In the Chair - Mr. P. Cahill (Chairman)

Members present - Messrs J. Mulcahy, Mr. Hynes, Mr. Flynn, S. Devine, J. O'Laughlin and E. Coughlan.

Minutes of last meeting were read confirmed and signed.

Read Mr. Maylan's letter, dated 2/5/32, stating "damage done to his garden wall & doorway" would cost £6 to make good.

Order - "Refer to Mrs. Cuff and point out to Mr. Maylan that the Board are not responsible for damage done."

Circular No 85/32 Re Election postponement Act and Circular No 84/32 Re use of brick materials in building" were read & marked "Noted".

Submitted Report No 33 Re Census of production 1929 from the L. G. W.

An order was made to refer the fair green wall to the C. Surveyor for rebuilding.

Clerk reported that she was unable to attend meeting & that, her sister, Florence Cahill, would act as deputy during her absence.
"Approved"

Clerk reported as follows - (a) Received Cheque for £30 from Mr. Lee C. Surveyor, for Quarry stones and Bridewell stones.

"Approved"

(b) Tenants in Bridewell, B. Sweeney & J. Robinson, are in arrears of Rent.

Order - "Refer to Town Steward to give them employment."

(c) Messrs J. Sweeney & M. Beatty's Sunders for Pin locks were the same.

Order - "Accept Mr. Beatty's Sunders" (after the tossing of a coin)

(d) ~~The~~ late Mr. M. Green's seat vacant.

Order - "put Co-opting on Agenda for next meeting"

Clerk asked if she would get Valuations etc. revised for the striking of the 1932-33 Rate?

No Order made.

X Mr. U. Loughlin proposed & Mr. Wain
seconded that Messrs Mr. Flynn, Mr. Hayes
& the Chairman interview Mr. Murray
Re building site in Barrack St.

Messrs Mr. Hayes & the Chairman were
deputed to interview Mr. Cuyman Re
procuring building sites -

Mr. U. Loughlin gave the Board "full powers"
Re his site in Bride St.

Amount Rates collected for 1931-32 period
£ 35 - 14 - 4.

Mr. Coughlan proposed & Mr. U. Loughlin
seconded a vote of sympathy with Mrs.
J. Flynn on the death of her mother -
& with the relatives of the late Mrs. Pease
Dublin -

On the proposition of Mr. Hayes, seconded
by the Chairman votes of sympathy were
passed with Mrs. Redman widow of the
late Capt. W. Redman J. W. and Mr. George
Mulcahy on the death of his wife

On the proposition of Mr. Wain seconded by
Mr. Mr. Flynn the Board's sympathy was extended
to Mr. & Mrs. Brodick on the death of their daughter
Annie -

All payments were entered in the pay sheet
including £ 23 for contingencies.

Phill. 6-6-32

I, Mr. M. P. Fahy P.C., being a person
co-opted, as member for the Loughrea Town
Commissioners, in the County of Galway, hereby
declare that I take the said office
upon myself, and will duly and faithfully
fulfill the duties (of said office) to the best
of my judgment and ability.

Dated this day of July 1932.

Signed - M. P. Fahy -
4/4/32.

In presence of (Mr.) R. M. Kieley Town Clerk.
4/4/32.

Minutes of proceedings of Monthly Meeting
of the Loughree San Commission
held on Monday June 6th 1932.

In the Chair - Mr. P. O'hill (Chairman)

Members present were: Messrs Mr. Dynes,
(E. Coughlan) P. Duane, J. Deane, Mr. Ward
W. J. Duffy & Jas. Mulcair and
subsequently E. Coughlan -

Minutes of last meeting were read, confirmed
and signed -

Co-opting of member in room of the late
Mr. Green took place. Notice of which
was put on the agenda -

Mr. Mulcair proposed and Mr. Duffy
seconded "
"That Mr. Fahy P.C., Moore St., be co-opted."

Mr. Lawrence Carty Abbey St., was proposed
by Mr. P. Duane, seconded by
Mr. J. Deane -

On a poll being taken there voted -
For Mr. Fahy - 4 - (viz: Messrs.

Duffy, Mulcair, Ward - & the Chairman)

For Mr. Carty - 3 - viz: Messrs
Dynes, Duane and Deane -

The Chairman declared Mr. Fahy co-opted as
member in room of the late Mr. M. Green.

Read letter from B. Galway Bd. of Health
dated 19/5/32. re the election of twenty
houses under the Labourer's Act - and
stating it would not be advisable to erect
new cottages, seeing that there was £36
rent and £121 - Rates due by tenants
of Cottages -

After a lengthy discussion on the matter
the Board decided in adjourning the
above scheme for a month -
Messrs M. Dynes & Mr. Ward were deputed
to interview owners of building sites
and report at next meeting -

The Chairman reported that Mr. Shiff was
deputed prepared to see site for £250 -

Submitted application signed Mrs. Christan
for tenancy of rooms in Bicknell -
Widow - "Accept her husband James Christan
as tenant, all arrears due by former
tenant to be paid by him" (2
(Term 2/3 a week with 2 sureties)

Mr. P. J. Finnegan was appointed as Rent Collector for Biddell Smarts.

An Order was made to give employment to Smart in order to clear arrears due.

Mr. Swan proposed and Mr. Deane seconded a vote of sympathy with Mrs. Sweeney & family on the lamented death of her daughter "Kor".

Mr. Coughlan reported that ^{fire escape} ladder was in perfect order.

The following order was made:-
"Break down starters and gravel Galway Road foot paths" Employ either Sabau for bordering from Sublands to Caher.

The Board decided in having Galway Road steam rolled and foot paths concreted next year.

Submitted Fire Insurance policy for Biddell.
No. 1722 - Fire Insurance £583.
Premiums 9/6.
Order - "pay".

Read letter of thanks from J. Peter Mrs. Cullmartin - C. Cook for vote of sympathy.

The June Stewards' reports re Fire Escape Ladder and Congress Decorations were approved.

Clerk reported that cheque for £1-10-0 received from Mr. Keoghane was lodged to credit of Board.

The pay sheet was signed by the Chairman and two members of the Board all payments entered therein including £50 to Clerk for contingencies.

P. Cahill 4. 7. 32

Minutes of Monthly Meeting of Town
Commissioners held on July 4th 1932 -
In the Chair - Mr. P. Cahill Chairman.
Members present - Messrs P. Wane, J. Mulcair,
J. V. Laughlin, Mr. Ryan, Mr. Flynn and Mr. Fahy.

Minutes of last meeting were read confirmed
and signed -

An Order was made on Mr. V. Laughlin's
proposition seconded by Mr. Mulcair to
proceed with the sanitary arrangement in
Bridewell.

Order - "Advise the erection of 2 Lavatories
in the Bridewell - Tenders to be considered
on the 18th inst."

Read sanitary notice No 138 from Brok. of Health.

Order - "Refer to Town Steward."
Town Steward was directed to attend to the
cleansing of Walko River.

Mr. Ryan reported that Rev. Mother was
prepared to sell site in Grove St.
for Building purposes for £ 30 -

Order - "Approved"

Messrs Ryan & Cahill deputed to interview
Mr. Ryan on the matter -

The Chairman was appointed to meet
Co. Surveyor, Mr. Lee re plans for said
houses -

Mr. V. Laughlin proposed and Mr. Mulcair
seconded that Mr. Lee, Co. Surveyor
be appointed Engineer for the Housing
scheme -

Order - "Appointed Unanimously"
Clerk was directed to proceed to Galway
P. T. O

Minutes of proceedings of Special Meeting
of the Loughrea Town Commissioners
held on Monday the 18th of July 1932.

In the Chair Mr. P. Cahill. Chairman,

Members present were - Messrs J. Wane,
J. V. Laughlin, J. Mulcair, Mr. Fahy,
and Mr. Ward.

Three Tenders were received and opened,
for the erection of 2 Lavatories in the
Bridewell - Messrs Keller £ 65 -

Donovan £ 65 - and Mr. Wane & Sons
£ 64 - 15 - 0 - The lowest Tender being
Messrs Wane's was accepted - On the proposition
of Mr. V. Laughlin, seconded by Mr. Ward.

An Order was made to get Mr. Ryan to draw
up a Bond to be signed by 2 solvent
Sureties for the due performance of the
terms of the Engineer's specification.
Amount of Bond £ 130 -

A fourth Tender was received but not
considered owing to its not being
submitted at the specified time.

J. P. Cahill 1. 8. 32

For the purpose of having valuations revised. Vote of sympathy was passed with President de Valera on death of his mother proposed by Mr. Whane, seconded by Mr. Devine and with Mr. Lyle, National Bank on the death of his wife.

The pay sheet was signed by Chairman and 2 members of the Board, all payments entered therein including £20 to Clerk for contingencies -

Minutes of proceedings of Monthly Meeting of the Loughrea Law Commissioners held on Monday Aug. 1st 1932.

Mr. P. Cahill, Chairman presiding.

Members present - Messrs J. V. Loughlin, J. Devine, Mr. Lyle, P. Whane, J. Mulcahy and subsequently Mr. M. Dwyer.

Minutes of last meeting were read, confirmed and signed -

Read letters of thanks for votes of sympathy passed from "President de Valera" and from Mr. Lyle, Manager National Bank.

Submitted plans for 4 and 5 room houses from Mr. Lee B. Surveyor, together with letter recommending plans D. 8, D. 9 and stating that 4 houses could be erected on site selected.

Order - "Clerk directed to consult Mr. Cuymer with a view to making application for loan for the building of said houses."

Read letter from R. G. W. re Rate Collection of 550.45/32 - stating the Warrant for 1931/32 should be closed as soon as possible and the 1932/33 Rate struck without further delay -

Order - "Rate Collector close warrant for

1931/32 ~~A~~ period as soon as possible"
Clerk directed to inform L. G. W. that
the Rates are a year in arrears for
a considerable number of years."

X
Read letter from L. G. W. B. 53006/32
stating "The Director proposes the payment
of subsidy of 33 $\frac{1}{3}$ per cent of the annual
loan under the Working Classes Acts
and the rate of 66 $\frac{2}{3}$ per cent where
schemes for the rehousing of persons
living in unhealthy houses are undertaken."

Clerk submitted notice of Audit for period
ended 31/3/32.

An Order was made to publish letter re
Rate Collection from the L. G. W.

Read letter of complaint from Mr. Jas.
Christman - Bridwell -
Order - "Mark Read"

The following bills were ordered to be
paid

Mr. M. Denis - £ 30 part payment on

Bridwell Contract of £ 64-15-0

Mr. Dealy £ 1-10-0 Sand supplied @ 2/6 ton =
1/3 per ton @ 100 lbs.

Mr. O'Connell printing 6/6 re erection of
Sanatoriums -

Jan Steward £ 4-19-4 Salary ended 31/4/32 -
Clerk £ 5-16-8 Salary ended 31/4/32 -

Land Commission 4/2 Rent field.

The pay sheet was signed by the Chairman
and 2 members of the Board all
payments entered therein including £ 32-10-
for Contingencies.

Collector reported that he lodged
£ 118-10-5 Jan Rates -

P. Cahill 5. 9. 32

J. Patrick Cahill being a person
 elected as Chairman for the Longshore
 Town Commissioners, in the County
 of Galway, hereby declare that I take
 said office upon myself and will
 duly and faithfully fulfill the duties
 to the best of my judgment and
 ability :-

Dated this 26th of August 1932

Signed -

Witnessed :- Mrs. H. M. Kelly,
 Town Clerk

Minutes of proceedings of Annual Meeting of the Langham Loan Commissioners held on Sunday 26th August 1832.

Members present were - Messrs Mr. Ward, Mr. Fahy, J. O'Langhin, J. Mulcahy and J. Devine.

On the proposition of Mr. Ward, seconded by Mr. Devine, the Board unanimously re-elected Mr. P. Cahill for the 5th year, as Chairman to the Loan Commissioners.

Mr. Cahill thanked the Board in suitable terms for re-electing as Chairman, and signed the usual declaration accepting the office -

Mr. Ward proposed and Mr. J. O'Langhin seconded on behalf of the people of the town, a vote of sympathy with

Captain W. St. George Daly, on the recent lamentable death of his daughter Bridget.

Order - "Copies of sympathy to be forwarded to Captain W. St. George Daly, and Mr. James Daly, New Sandle."

p Cahill 5. 9. 32.

Minutes of proceedings of Monthly Meeting of the Sandwich Town Commissioners held on Monday Sept. 6th 1932.

Members present were - Mr. P. Cahill Chairman

Messrs - Mr. Ward, Mr. Dynes, Mr. Fahy, J. V. Langhin, & J. Dennis -

Minutes of last meeting were read, confirmed and signed -

Chairman reported his interview with Mr. Coyne re Housing Scheme -

After a lengthy discussion re prices for sites etc. Messrs Cahill, and Mr. Fahy were deputed to interview parties having suitable sites for sale - with a view to finding out their prices for same -

Submitted report from Auditor, Mr. D. V. Keefer, on Audit of A/c's for the 2 years ended 31/3/32 -

Order - "Approved" Clerk directed to have contents of press & Town Steward covered by insurance - as directed in report.

Submitted Town Steward's Report re trees overhanging Br. Pleasant Road -

Order "Write to Mr. A. M. Loole requesting his cut down said branches."

Town Steward reported amt. of arrears

due by Bridwell Shanks -

Order "Notify Christian to pay arrears ^{due} up to date"

Submitted Bill for Audit of A/c's. Amt. £6 -

Order "Apply to the Local Government Department for a reduction in Audit fee."

Clerk was directed to write Mr. Gilchrist re his interview with Es. Surveyor regarding sewer connections in Bridwell & Court roads, ask for an explanation on same -

An Order was made to have side walk in Bride Sh. repaired.

Town Steward reported that £139-13-5 was amt. of rates collected -

Order "Have Rates closed by the 30th Sept. 32."

Mr. Cahill proposed and Mr. Ward seconded a vote of sympathy with Mrs. Smyth on the death of her husband the late Mr. Walter Smyth -

Submitted Bill for Mr. M. Dennis Contractor for Mr. M. Dennis Contractor of £34-15-0, certified by Mr. Gilchrist to be correct, Balance on Bridwell Contract -

Order - "pay"

The pay sheet was signed by the Chairman
and two members of the Board
all payments entered there in including
HS to Clerk for Contingencies -

J. Cahill 3.10.32

Minutes of Special Meeting of the Langhrea
Town Commissioners held on Sept. 21st 1932
for the purpose of selecting sites for Building Houses.
Members present were Messrs P. Cahill
(In the Chair) J. V. Langhrea, J. W. Wierne,
Mr. Fahy, Mr. Ward.

The Board agreed in selecting fifteen sites
in slum areas and other places to be
submitted to the Housing Department
for sanction -

An Order was made to hand list of 15
sites to be acquired to Mr. Coyne with
a view to commencing building as soon
as possible -

J. Cahill 3.10.32

Minutes of proceedings of Monthly meeting of the Loughree Town Commissioners held on Monday Oct. 3rd 1932 -

In the Chair - Mr. P. Cahill, Chairman.

Members present were - Messrs M. Fahy, J. Mulcaire, C. Coughlan, & Mr. Ward.

Minutes of last meetings were signed.

Submitted correspondence together with map & plan showing position of lamps, from the former agreement from the Electric Supply Board - Dublin -

Order - "Reply stating the Board are not in a financial position to pay more than £100 per annum for the lighting of the town, as no higher rate can be struck to meet the demand."

Read letter from the Waterworks and Sewerage Committee requesting the Board to take charge of the watering place for Cattle on the New-York Road -

Order - "Reply stating the Board suggests that it is the duty of the County Council as it is outside the terms of ^{any} contract."

An Order was made to notify J. Christian's ~~to~~ Sentries re arrears due.
"Refer ~~interference~~ ^{charge} in Walks ^{to} ~~to~~ trees & seats to the Garda Síochána."

Submitted James Steward's Report stating John Neely, Sand Contractor, had failed to comply with terms of contract.

Order "Notify J. Neely that his contract is cancelled"

James Steward reported that Mrs. J. Kenny was prepared to supply sand at same terms as John Neely.

Order "Accept Mrs. Kenny Connor as Sand Contractor"

Submitted list of stock for period ended 30/9/32.

"Approved"

Submitted Monthly Form re Housing scheme from L. G. Dept.

Order - "Reply stating sites have been selected and waiting for maps from Mr. Lee"

The Board appointed Messrs J. Mulcahy, Mr. Fahy, Mr. Ward, & C. Coughlan as the Chairman to look into list of outstanding rates; on Tuesday the 11th inst.

The pay sheet was signed by the Chairman & 2 members of the Board, all payments entered therein including £ 10 for contingencies

J. Cahill 7. 11. 32

Minutes of proceedings of Monthly meeting of the Langham Town Commissioners held on Monday Nov. 1st 1932.

In the Chair - Mr. P. Cahill, Chairman.

Members present - Messrs J. V. Langham, Mr. Elym J. Keane, J. Mulcair and Mr. Ward.

Minutes of last meeting were read confirmed and signed.

Read letter from Mr. Cayman, Suburban Re Arrears of Rent due by J. Christian, (who attended the meeting).

An order was made "that Town Steward give employment to J. Christian to enable him to pay arrears of rent due."

Submitted terms and conditions from the Elec. Supply Board dated 11th Oct. 1932 for the continuance of the existing lighting system in the town during the year ending 31st March 1933.

Order - "Reply accepting terms as set out @ £100 for period ending 31/3/33."

Rate Collector reported that £114-18-6 was amt. of Rates lodged.

An order was made to hand list of Rate Defaulters to Mr. Cayman for collection.

Read letter from Minister Local Government & Public Health stating the fee for auditing the accounts was reduced to £4-

Order - "Approved" pay £4-

Submitted Resolution from Sinn Féin Dublin Re the prince of Wales visit to Ireland.

Order "Mark Read" It being a political matter."

An order was made to make application to the L. G. Dept. to have Inspector sent down to inspect Building sites."

After a lengthy discussion Re stone-breaking it was decided to have stones broken by hand under the Town Steward's directions.

Read Circular No 63/32.

Order - "Noted."

Submitted Circular No 42/1932 Re Housing (Town Charges Contributions) Regulations 1932.

Refer - Order "Refer to Mr. Cayman"

Read letter dated 19/10/32 Ref. 91133/1932 Re Clerk's sanction for £3- for revision of Valuations etc.

It was proposed by Mr. Mulcair seconded by Mr. Ward that the L. G. W. be informed of the extra duties imposed on Clerk.

since her appointment at £ 35 per annum -

The Chairman was deputed to procure trees for planting in walks.

On Mr. Cahill's proposition seconded by Mr. O'Farrell, the Board's sympathy was extended to Mrs. Keane, Bride St. on the death of her husband the late Mr. Patrick Keane, and with Mr. J. Lawler Kyle back on the death of his son.

Mr. Devine proposed and Mr. M. Dwyer, seconded a vote of sympathy with Mrs. Jack Dickson on death of son.

The Chairman proposed and Mr. Mulcahy seconded a vote of sympathy with Mrs. James Joyce, postman, on the death of his wife and with Mrs. Jack Roach Woodford on death of her husband.

The pay sheet was signed by the Chairman and two members of the Board all payments entered therein including £ 50 to Clerk for Contingencies -
 J. Cahill 5. 12. 32

Langhorne Town Commissioners.

Minutes of proceeding of Monthly meeting
of the above Board held on
Monday Dec. 5th 1932.

In the Chair - Mr. P. Cahill.

Members present were - Messrs M. Ward.

J. Deane, P. Deane, E. Coughlan and

J. V. Langhorne.

Minutes of last meeting were read, confirmed
and signed.

Submitted application from stone breakers
applying for payment of 1/3 per box
for breaking stones.

On Mr. Deane's proposition, seconded by
Mr. Deane the Board decided - in
paying 1/2 (one shilling & two pence)
per box for breaking stones from Saturday
the 10th Dec. 1932 to 1st March 1933,
provided they are broken to the Town
Stewards' satisfaction.
Passed unanimously.

The Chairman reported the Department's
Inspector's visit to Building sites
and stated that said Inspector

approved a site in Athenry Road
for building houses - and that
Dr. Caginn and Mr. Lee Es. Surveyor
had taken the matter up -

"Unanimously Approved"

Messrs J. V. Loughlin, & C. Coughlan
were deputed to examine Mr. V. Sullivan's
foot path with a view to having it
repaired -

Clerk was instructed to notify J. Christian
of arrears of Rent due - and give
one month's notice to have arrears
cleared otherwise possession will be taken.

Rate Collector was directed to hand list
of Defaulters to Subletors for collection.

On Mr. Deane's proposition seconded by
Mr. Coughlan the Board decided in
striking off Rate for the 1932 - 33 period
at special meeting on the 16th Dec. 32.

Mr. Ward proposed and Mr. Coughlan
seconded votes of sympathy with Mr.
J. Mulcahy on death of his brother
& Mr. J. Kelly on the death of his wife.

"passed in silence"

The Board unanimously decided for
voting £60 - (Sixty pounds) to
be expended in Road work during the
Xmas month -

The pay sheet was signed by the
Chairman & two members of the
Board all payments entered therein
including £66 - 15 - 4 for public rights of way

J. Cahill 2.1.33

Minutes of proceedings of Monthly
meeting of the Loughrea Town
Commissioners held on Monday Jan. 2nd 1933.

In the Chair - Mr. P. Cahill, (Chairman)

Members present - Messrs W. J. Duffy,
M. Fahy, C. Coughlan, P. Whane, Mr. Rynes,
J. Mulcahy and Mr. Ward.

Minutes of last meeting were read confirmed
and signed.

On the proposition of Mr. Ward, seconded
by Mr. Rynes the Board unanimously
agreed in striking a Town Rate of One
Shilling in the Pound on all Buildings and
the fourth on all lands for the period
1932 - 1933. Notice of which was given
on the Agenda.

Thomas Daniels attended meeting complaining
of measurement of stones broken on his Road.

The Town Steward was directed to "re measure
stones broken and pay balance if due to
Thos. Daniels."

Town Steward's report re Mr. V. Balloran's
Roadway was approved.

Messrs W. J. Duffy & M. Fahy were deputed
to examine a tree in the Walls with a

view to having it removed -

Town Steward reported that there were
sufficient stones broken for the period ending
31/3/33 -

Order - "Continue the breaking of stones" until
the Crusher is employed."

James Christian was granted until the 10th
Jan^y 1933 to clear all arrears of Rent due
by him -

The pay^{er} The Chairman reported that the
Elec. Supply Board lighted the street lamps
on Xmas Eve night at a charge of
3^d per lamp -
Order - "Approved of"

The pay sheet was signed by the Chairman
and two members of the Board all
payments entered therein including
£ 10 to Clerk for contingencies.

P. Cahill 6. 2. 33

Minutes of proceedings of a Monthly Meeting
of the Langhoro Town Commissioners held
on Monday 6th Feb. 1933.

In the Chair - Mr. P. Cahill - (Chairman)
Members present -
Messrs Mr. Fahy, J. O. Langhoro, J. Devine &
Mr. Ward -

On Mr. Ward's proposition seconded by Mr. Fahy
it was unanimously resolved -
" That all business of the Board be adjourned
except the Finance, as a mark of respect
to the death of the late Mr. John Flynn,
who was for many years a member of this
Board."

Votes of sympathy were also passed with
Mr. Henry Woodford death of son - and
Mr. James Flynn, Main St. death of father -

P. Cahill 6. 3. 33

Minutes of proceedings of Monthly Meeting
of the Langhorne Town Commissioners
held on Monday ~~April~~ March 6th 1933.

In the Chair - Mr. P. Cahill, (Chairman)

Members present were Messrs J. V. Langhlin,
Mr. Hynes, P. Swan, C. Conaghan, Mr. Ward,
Mr. Fahy, & J. Mulcair.

Minutes of last meeting were confirmed &
signed -

Read letter from the R. G. W. fixing the time
for Elections between June 23rd 33, and
July 3rd 1933.

In accordance with notice Mr. Fahy moved
that "no pigs be exposed for sale on
fair days between the Town Hall and Convent
of Mercy"

Mr. V. Langhlin seconded the motion which
was passed.

After a lengthy discussion as to where pigs
would be exposed for sale - the matter
dropped - no order being made.

Votes of sympathy were passed with the family
of the late John Smyth Esq. Mason Road -
Mrs. J. Gilchrist on death of ^{simon} mother.
P. Cahill 13. 4. 33

Minutes of proceedings of Monthly Meeting of the Loughrea San Commissioners held on Monday 3rd day of April 1933.

In the Chair - Mr. P. Cahill, (Chairman.)
Members present - Messrs W. J. Duffy, Mr. Hayes, P. Dwyer, J. W. Wain, J. V. Langhin, J. McCain, Mr. Ward, C. Coughlan

Minutes of last meeting were read confirmed and signed.

Submitted Tenders for grazing of the Board's field for 12 mts. ending 24/5 23/4/34 from
Mr. Murphy £6-10-0 P. J. Linnegan £5-5-0

Mr. Mc Namara £6 P. Keoghane £7-12-6

Mr. Keoghane's tender being the highest was accepted

J. Healy tendered for sand @ $\frac{5}{11}$ per ton

Mrs. J. Kenny tendered " " @ $\frac{2}{11}$ per ton.

J. Healy's tender @ $\frac{1}{11}$ per ton was accepted.

Two tenders for general supplies were submitted from Messrs Conran & Beatty. The lowest tender in each case was accepted.

J. Healy's tender for heap of manure @ $\frac{1}{11}$ was accepted, it being the only tender submitted.

This order was made to "procure 4 lines of Fire Hose (each line 30 ft.) Quotations to be submitted at next meeting."

X
Read letter from Mr. Lee, Engineer, stating he had sent maps and measurements to A. W. Bayman L.L.D., Solicitor of the approved sites (in Athenny Road and Moore St.,) for the Building scheme and estimated the cost of erecting 4 Three roomed Houses at £230 per House.

On the Chairman's proposition, seconded by Mr. Mr. Ward the Board made the following order -

X
"That Mr. Bayman, Solicitor be instructed to take steps to acquire the plots selected by the L. G. Inspector for the Building scheme." passed unanimously.

Submitted list of stock for period ended 31/3/33 under "Approved".

Read letters of thanks for notes of sympathy passed from Messrs Michael & Patrick Flynn, Barnack St. & Mr. Jas. Flynn, Main St.

The pay sheet was signed by the Chairman & all payments interest therein including £32- for Contingencies -

P. Cahill 1. 5. 33

Minutes of proceedings at Monthly Meeting
of the Sanitary Law Commissioners held
on Monday May 1st 1933.

In the Chair - Mr. P. Cahill. (Chairman)

Members present - Messrs C. Coughlan, J. Mulcair,
Mr. Fahy, J. V. Langhin, Mr. Flynn and Mr. Ward.

Minutes of last meeting were read confirmed and
signed -

X Mr. Heneghan (District Convener for the G.S. Railway Co.)
addressed the meeting with a view to requesting
the Board to insert a Clause in Notices Re
Housing Scheme, to have all materials conveyed by
rail -
After a lengthy discussion ~~on~~ the matter the Board
decided in considering the matter later.

Submitted samples and quotations of Fire Hose
from Messrs McGeoghegan & Co., Dundee, Leyland and
Birmingham, Dublin, Geo. Angus & Co., Liverpool.

It was proposed by Mr. V. Langhin, Seconded

by Mr. Coughlan, "That 4 lines of Hose (each
line to contain 30') be procured from the Official
Contractor - Messrs Geo. Angus & Co."

The Clerk declared the late Mr. J. Flynn's seat
vacant on the Board -

No Order made -

Mr. Finnegan reported that Jas. Christian, Tenant
in Bridwell, owed £3-14-0 (Three pounds
fourteen shillings) arrears of Rent.

Order - "Instruct Mr. Cuymer, Sub. to serve Notice
to Quit on said Tenant."

John Steward submitted Report Re Dangerous
Buildings in Bride St. he ~~also~~ reported that
there was a tree in the walls a danger to
the public - and that it was necessary
to have the hedge that was overhanging
sidewalk at Pallaside cut.

The following orders were made -

- (a) "Notify Mr. Fahy, to have dangerous
building demolished"
- (b) "Have tree in walls removed"
- (c) "Write Messrs Munroe & Co. Re hedge"
- (d) "Notify Mr. Hanafin, that the Board have
no objection to the dumping of refuse on
their ground beside the watering place"

The Chairman proposed and Mr. Mulcair

A vote of Congratulation on Mr. M. P. Fahy's retirement after a 45 years service as Teacher in Loughrea.
The Resolution was unanimously adopted.

The Clerk submitted financial statements of the Board for period ended 31/3/33.

Order "Approved".

Submitted Resolution from Cashel W. Council protesting against the 25% imposed on Consumers of Shannon Scheme current.

On Mr. O'Laughlin's proposition seconded by Mr. Ward the Board unanimously adopted the Resolution.

Clerk reported that Form 20 under the Housing of the Working Classes Act 1890 to 1931 was inserted in local paper and that Mr. Cuymer Sal. had served notices on parties concerned.

Submitted Bill for professional charges from Mr. Cuymer for 3 yrs. ended 23rd July 1933. amts. £10-2-9.

Order - "pay"

On the Chairman's proposition seconded by Mr. Ward a vote of sympathy was passed with Rev. Mr. Murphy C.C. on the death of his father.

Mr. O'Laughlin proposed and Mr. Ward seconded a vote of sympathy with the family of the late Mr. John Henry Rathcuddy.

"passed in silence"

Submitted
Read application for work on roads signed Mrs. Bridget Heddy on behalf of her son.

No order made.

Read letter from Michael Ryan, Rosmond, requesting the Board to accept 20 tons of stones.

Order - "Accept stones if up to the standard required @ 1/6 per Box"

The pay sheet was signed by the Chairman and two members of the Board all payments entered therein including - £30 for Contingencies.

J. Cahill 5.6.33

Minutes of proceedings of a Special Meeting
of the Loughrea Town Commissioners held
on Monday 22nd May 1933.

Chairman - Mr. P. Cahill,

Members present - Messrs. W. J. Wuffy,
Mr. Ward, J. O'Langhin, P. Whane,
and Mr. P. Fahy, C. Coughlan

On Mr. Whane's proposition seconded by
Mr. O'Langhin the following ^{Resolution} was ^{adopted} -

"That a further Housing Scheme be
formulated to be known as "No 2 Scheme" &
Direct Mr. Cuymer Solicitor ^{he directed} to serve Notices
on the Earl of Harwood and Mr. McNamee
Athens Road, with a view to acquiring
Compulsorily 33½ perches in Athens Road
for Building purposes.

Minutes of proceedings of Special Meeting
of the Loughrea Town Commissioners held on
Monday the 22nd May 1933.

Chairman - Mr. P. Cahill,

Members present - Messrs W. J. Wuffy, P. Whane,
C. Coughlan, Mr. P. Fahy, J. O'Langhin and
Mr. Ward.

On Mr. Whane's proposition seconded by
Mr. O'Langhin the following Resolution
was unanimously adopted -

"That a "No 2 Housing Scheme" be formulated
and Mr. A. W. Cuymer, Solicitor, be directed
to serve Notices on the Earl of Harwood
and Michael McNamee, with a view to
acquiring compulsorily 33½ perches of
land in Athens Road for Building
purposes."

On the motion of the Chairman seconded by
Mr. W. Ward a vote of condolence was passed
with the relatives of the late Mrs. Keane,
Mayleen, Lee, who was sister of Mr. M. P.
Fahy, an esteemed member of the Board.

P Cahill 5. 6. 33

Minutes of proceedings of Monthly Meeting of the Rathfriland Town Commissioners held on Monday 6th June 1933.

In the Chair - Mr. P. Cahill, (Chairman)

Members present - Messrs J. V. Pangolin, C. Caughlan, W. J. Duffy, Mr. Fahy, P. Quinn, J. Mulcair, and subsequently Mr. M. Hynes.

Minutes of last meeting were read, confirmed and signed.

Submitted Elec. Light Agreement for Street Lamps for year ending 31/3/34 at £100.

Order - "Accepted with the same terms as heretofore"

An order was made to put on agenda for July Meeting the re-appointment of a member in honor of the late Mr. J. Flynn.

On Mr. V. Pangolin's proposition seconded by Mr. Duffy "the Board unanimously decided to take over control of watering place on York Road, and the Town Sergeant was instructed to keep it cleaned."

Submitted application signed Mary O'Leary for apartments in the Bridewell.

On Mr. V. Pangolin's proposition, seconded

by Mr. Duffy the Board decided in accepting said applicant when vacancy occurs.

Read letter from James Christan, requesting time to pay arrears of Rent until 29th June.

Order "Refer to Mr. Quinn, Solicitor"

Order was

On the Chairman's proposition seconded by Mr. J. Mulcair the Board expressed sympathy with the relatives of the late Mr. M. McInerney.

Passed in silence.

Submitted application for one penny per box extra for breaking stones signed Mr. Hynes, Cosmona.

Order "Employ Mr. Hynes for stone breaking and pay one shilling per box to all stone-breakers until further notice."

Read letters of thanks for votes of sympathy passed from Rev. S. Murphy C.C. and Mrs. Leahy, Rathfriland.

The Board directed the Town Steward to purchase a quantity of stones from Mrs. W. Progan, Bride St.

The pay sheet was signed & all payments entered therein including £30 for contingencies.

P. Cahill 3. 7. 33

I, Lawrence Carthy being a
person so apted as member of the
borough Town Commissioners in the
County of Galway, hereby declare that
I take the said office upon myself and
will duly and faithfully fulfill the duties
of said office to the best of my
judgement and ability.

Dated this 14th day of July 1933.

Signed - Lawrence Carthy

In presence of (Mrs) H. M. Kelly,
Town Clerk,

Minutes of proceedings of Monthly Meeting of the Langhrea Town Commissioners held on Monday 3rd July 1933.

In the Chair - Mr. P. Cahill Chairman.

Members present - Messrs J. V. Langhlin,

J. Devins, P. Duane, M. Fahy, J. Mulcairn,

and Mr. Ward.

Minutes of last meeting were read, confirmed and signed.

On Mr. Duane's proposition seconded by Mr. Devins, Mr. L. Carthy, Abbey St. was unanimously elected a member of the Board in room of the late Mr. J. Flynn.

Submitted report re areas of rent due by Bridwell tenants.

Order - "Give employment on roads to Lincery and Robinson until areas are cleared."

The Board, on Mr. Duane's proposition, seconded by the Chairman, made an order to be called "Langhrea Building

Order No 3," to acquire all plots under the Housing Acts 1931-1932 and that notice to acquire be served by Mr. Cuymer Salicton on all owners and occupiers of said plots." ~~(Mr. Fahy O'Neil's to Abbey Gate)~~ passed unanimously.

The Chairman reported the Department's Inspector (Mr. Buckley) recent visit re Housing Scheme.

The Board decided, on Mr. Buckley recommendation, to acquire Building Sites from Fahy O'Neil's plot to the corner of Abbey St. together with as much land as may be required.

Submitted copy of the Local Government Act 1933, which repealed Section 41 of the L.G. Act 1925.

Read letter from the Elec. Supply Board confirming the terms and agreement conditions of Street Lighting Agreement for period ending 31/3/34. viz - 144 lamps @ £100.

"Approved"

Clerk was directed to communicate with Mr. Buckley re delay in Housing Scheme.

An Order was made to ask Mr. Munroe

to rebuild the wall at falls side (at the
Fair greens)

Chairman reported that Mr. Lee required
the approval of the Board for sites selected
on the 1st inst. and that the necessary
maps would be handed to Mr. Cyprian
on the 14th inst.

Order - "Sites selected approved of."

Submitted Cheque of £18-15-0 for
stones supplied to the B. Council -

Order -

Write B. Council stating amt. of stones supplied
was £25-7-6 as per Saml Steward's report."

The pay sheet was signed by the Chairman
and his members of the Board, all
payment entered therein including £39
to Clerk for contingencies -

Las Mulcares

7. Aug 1933

Minutes of proceedings of Special Meeting of the Loughrea Town Commissioners held on Friday July 14th 1933 to consider plans re Housing Scheme.

Members present were -
Messrs P. Cahill (Chairman), J. O'Laughlin,
P. Duane, J. Devins, J. Mulcair, M. Ward,
R. Carly, M. P. Fahy.

Mr. R. Carly signed the usual declaration accepting his office, before taking his seat as Town Commissioner.

Mr. Lee, Engineer, submitted plans for four roomed houses to be built in Othensky Road and Waulpin Street @ approximate cost of £250 each house.

Mr. M. Fahy's proposition seconded by Mr. O'Laughlin, the Board unanimously adopted the Engineer's plan and estimate for houses, to be built in pairs.

Clerk was instructed to write to L. G. Dept. & to Mr. Buckley, L. G. Inspector, to have Housing Scheme expedited.

It was decided to put on agenda for next meeting the rate of wages to be paid re Housing Scheme.

The Board decided after a lengthy discussion to get into communication with Mr. Munroe Agent for the Earl of Harwood, with a view to receiving the members, present at meeting, on a Deputation on the 18th inst. re "Tolls and Customs" of the town.

Clerk was directed to phone Mr. Munroe to interview.

J. O'Mulcair

7 Aug 1933

Minutes of proceedings of ~~the~~ Special
Meeting of the ~~San~~ Town Commissioners
held on Tuesday 18th July 1933 - Re
Tolls and Customs of town.

In the Chair - Mr. P. Cahill, Chairman.

Members present - Messrs P. Heane,
Mr. Hayes, J. Quinn, Mr. P. Daly, J. J. Langhin,
J. Mulcair, C. Coughlan, R. Carty, and
Mr. Ward.

Mr. G. Murray Agent to Earl of Rosewood
attended Re Tolls and Customs of the
town.

The Board were informed the Rent of
Tolls was £200 -

Valuation £100 -

Abatement of 25% off County Rate & Town Rate
Approximate Rent after deduction £100 -

The Commissioners decided on the purchase
of the Tolls & Customs.

Order - "Negotiations to be resumed
at a later date"

7. Aug 1933

Jas Mulcair

Minutes of proceedings of Monthly Meeting
of the Haughra Town Commissioners
held on Monday 4th August 1933.

In the Chair - Mr. J. Mulcair.

Members present Messrs J. O'Finghlin,
P. Duane, L. Carty, J. Duane, M. P. Fahy
& Chas. Conaghan.

Minutes of last meeting were read, confirmed
and signed.

The following Resolution was unanimously
adopted (notice of which was put on
the Agenda.)
"That the Rate of wages for labour under the
Housing Scheme be 9^d per hour for labourers
and skilled labour or tradesmen 5^d per
hour, and that all Carpentry work be
done by local tradesmen."

Read letter signed Patrick Confield Daulpin
St., re House accommodation.

The Board referred the matter to the Board
of Health recommending said Patrick
Confield for a labourer's cottage.

Read letter from the Association of
Municipal Authorities of Ireland requesting
the Board to join the Association.

An Order was made to affiliate with the
Association.

Town Steward reported that the Bridewell
was now valued for Rating purposes
and that each dwelling was valued at
two pounds.

Order - "Adjourn to next meeting."

Rate Collector reported am't of Rates
Collected & lodged was £108-4-0.

Order - "proceed with collection."

Mr. Duane proposed and Mr. Carty seconded
that the Board's Employees be transferred
to an Irish Insurance Company.

Order - "Get terms from the Irish Life Insurance
Companies for consideration at next meeting."

The Clerk reported that the L. of Dept. had
not as yet approved of the plans re Housing
Scheme.

No order made.

Messrs J. O'Finghlin and L. Carty were
deputed to interview Mr. Lee, Esq. Surveyor,
re Steam Rolling Abbey St. & to draw
his attention to Galway Road & Cosmora.

Patrol 4. 9. 33

Read letter from Mr. Munroe stating ^{Re} the rebuilding of wall - Fair Green - stating the matter is under consideration -

Submitted bill of £ 2-15-1 being amt. due on Workmen's & Mr. Imregan's (James Steward's) Insurance policy for period ending 6th June 1934 -

Order "pay if policy is renewed" for coming period ending 6th June '34. Transfer to an Irish Company. Mr. Imregan reported the arrears due by Bridwell tenants was -

J. Christian	52 weeks @ 2/-	5-4-0
J. Robinson	13 " " "	1-6-0
W. Sweeney	4 " " "	8-0-

Order - "Notify Dr. Cuyony to carry on with proceedings in J. Christian case"

The pay sheet was signed by the Chairman and two members of the Board all payments entered therein including £ 39 to Clerk for contingencies -

P. Cahill 4.9.33

Minutes of ~~an~~ special Meeting of
the Sanitary ~~San~~ Commissioners
held on Friday 18th August 1933.

In the Chair - Mr. P. Cahill.

Members present - Messrs J. O'Langhin
P. Duane, J. Waring, R. Carty, J. Mulean
& Mr. P. Fahy.

Submitted notes of local public inquiry
Re Building Orders 1933 and Building
Orders 1933. No 3.

Read objections made against Orders
& signed by Mrs. M. A. Kennedy,
Messrs George Murray, Agent for
Earl of Kere Wood, Joseph Cunniff,
Barrack St., Patrick Galley, Abbey St.,
John Mulken, Galsay Road, John
Healy, Dapchill, Mrs Annie Egan,
Barrack St., Mrs. C. Weneey, Galt Hill
Galsay.

Messrs J. Mulean, P. Duane, Mr. P.
Fahy, W. J. Duffy, the Chairman
were deputed to give evidence ~~in~~
behalf of the Sanitary Commissioners at
local public inquiry.

Read letter stating the Minister for P. G.
notes the decision of the Board to
adopt the standard plan of 1. for
Houses -

Read letter from Minister P. G. W.
stating "no objection was made Re
No 2. Order - if stated instructions
were issued to have the Order confirmed.

Order - "Approved"

An Order was ~~not~~ made to inform
Mr. Cunniff, P. G. W. of the replies
made against the objection raised
Re Housing Orders 1933 and Housing
Orders No 3.

P. Cahill 4 9 33

Minutes of proceedings of Monthly Meeting
of the Rathfriland Town Commissioners held
on Monday September 11th 1933.

In the Chair - Mr. P. Cahill, Chairman.

Members present - Messrs J. O'Laughlin, L. Carthy,
J. Devine, Mr. P. Fahy, P. Whane, J. Mulcairn,
and Mr. Ward.

Minutes of last meeting were read confirmed
and signed.

Submitted Demand notes for Rates on Bridewell
Premises -

Order - "Refer to Mr. Rayner to be considered
at next meeting"

Clerk reported that Insurance Renewal for
Employees was paid up to June 6th 1934.

Order "Adjourn to June 1934"

The Chairman reported Local Public Inquiry
held on 22nd August 1933, re Housing Scheme
by Mr. O'Brien B. E. R. G. Inspector. He stated
the sites were inspected & no objections
raised by owners.

Order - "Approved"

It was decided to advertise for tenders for
the removal of trees on "Lathin Lodge" plot.

Read circular from the Appointments Commission
stating that "they will recommend one person
and one person only for each vacancy under
a local authority"

Mr. L. Carthy proposed that the circular be
adopted - Mr. P. Whane seconded.

Mr. J. O'Laughlin proposed that they approve
of the names - Mr. M. Ward seconded.

For Mr. O'Laughlin's proposition - Messrs
O'Laughlin, Ward, Mulcairn, Fahy, Devine
and Chairman.

For Mr. Carthy's proposition - Messrs Carthy & Whane.

Mr. O'Laughlin's motion was declared carried.

Read circular from the Municipal Authorities
of Ireland at Annual Conference in Waterford.

Mr. Ward gave notice that he would move
at next monthly meeting "that the resolution
adopted at previous meeting to affiliate with
the Association be rescinded."

Order - "put on Agenda for Monthly meeting"
Clerk was instructed to write under the
heading of the "Local Advisory Committee"

The Board of Health with a view to having the "Wall's River" cleaned as it is a danger to the public health.

Clerk was directed to write Mr. Furkin Contractor, to have barbed wire removed from plot in Moore St.

James Stewart was instructed to give Robinson work until areas of Rent were cleared.

Messrs L. Cart, J. V. Langhin, M. P. Sahy & M. Ward were deputed to see after the ~~removal~~ removal of dangerous tree outside Mr. J. Sweeney's garden.

The same Committee were deputed to look after the cleaning of the Wall's River.

The pay sheet was signed by the Chairman and two members of the Board all payments entered therein including £.30 to Clerk for Contingencies.

M. P. Sahy,
2nd Oct. '23

Minutes of proceedings of Special Meeting
of the Rathfriland Town Commissioners
held on Tuesday Sept. 19th 1933 - Re
Housing Scheme

In the Chair - Mr. P. Cahill, (Chairman)

Members present - Messrs J. Quinn,
Mr. P. Fahy, Mr. Flynn and J. O'Kearney

Mr. Lec. County Surveyor, submitted plan,
layout plan and specification for
Town new houses at Convent site - the
estimate cost, including development costs,
@ £100 per house, and for roofing, slates
would cost approximately twice as
much as tiles"

B.M. 2: Order - "Forward to Housing
Order - proposed by Mr. M. Fahy, seconded by
Mr. M. Flynn, "That the plans &
specification be adopted and sent to
Housing Department for sanction"

No Orders were received for removal of trees
at Convent site.

M.P. Fahy
2nd Oct. '33

Minutes of proceedings of Monthly Meeting of the Loughrea Town Commissioners held on Monday Oct. 2nd 1933.

In the Chair - Mr. Mr. P. Fahy. (Act. Chairman)

Members present - Messrs. J. Mulcair, J. O'Laughlin, P. Duane, J. Devine,

Minutes of last meeting were read, confirmed and signed.

On Mr. O'Laughlin's proposition seconded by Mr. Duane the Board resolved that order made on Aug. 8th 1933, "that the Board would join the Municipal Authorities Association."

The Town Steward informed the Board that a special meeting would be called re cleaning of Walk's River - (by the Water works Committee) -

Submitted plans, & specification for eleven houses to be built in Cabbage Lane -

Mr. O'Laughlin proposed and Mr. Duane seconded that the plans etc. for Cabbage Lane houses, (submitted by Mr. Lee) be approved and forwarded to the Minister for sanction -

Re plans

"Passed Unanimously"

Read letter No 105434/33 from the L. Y. W. re More Sh. houses.

Order - "Write Mr. Lee, Esq. Surveyor, with a view to preparing plans, layout plans & specification for two story houses within the financial and miscellaneous provisions Act 1932, which is limited to £350 per house."

On Mr. O'Laughlin's proposition, seconded by Mr. Devine, the Board unanimously passed a resolution of sympathy with Mr. J. Flynn, & relatives on the recent lamentable death of his wife - and also with Sr. M. Peter, Convent of Mercy, Wexford - sister of the late Mrs. Maria Flynn.

An order was made to pay rates on Biddwell premises & have valuation revised next year.

Submitted Local Elections (Date of Election) Order 1933.

Order - "Noted"

The pay sheet was signed by the Act. Chairman & two members of the Board all payments interest therein including £30 - for contingencies -

J. Cahill 6.11.33

Housing Scheme

The Board agreed on the 24th Oct. 1933.
to adopt Government plan G. 5 for Cabbage
Lane Houses, as directed in Minister's
letter B. 112545/33 - dated 12th Oct. 1933 -
with Mr. Lee's recommendation to allow
timber landing & stairs to be substituted
for concrete landings & stairs, as shown
in plan G. 5.
An Order was made to submit Mr. Lee's
amended plan to L. of W. & P. H. for
final approval.

Minutes of special meeting of the
Langhaen Town Commission held on
15th Nov. 1933.

Chairman - Mr. P. Cahill.
Members present
Messrs J. V. Loughlin, P. Whane, J. Whine
& Mr. P. Lally.

Read letter No B. 120451/33. L. of W. Dept.
dated 4th Nov. 1933 stating that "The Minister
approved of the layout plan for Cabbage
Lane Houses in 2 blocks of six each
& of the adoption of the Dept. House plan
G. 5 modified to allow timber landing
and stairs.
Order - "Approved"

The following Read letter dated 15/11/33, from
Mr. Cymon, Solicitor, stating "the next step
is to approach the owners of property
the houses are to be erected on and
try to arrive at the purchase price ^{of the land} by agreement.
I am accordingly writing to the owners
of the land asking them the lowest price
they will agree to accept for same"

Proposed by Mr. V. Loughlin - "That
a deputation interview Mr. Cymon, Solicitor,
on the 16th inst."
Seconded by Mr. Whane.

Messrs V. Loughlin & Cahill, were deputed
to interview Mr. Cymon, at 3 p.m.

John Steward reported that Mr. Lee,
phoned stating he was preparing plans
for the other cottages.

An Order was made to have the sidewalks
in Galway Road cleaned.

P. Cahill 4. 12. 33

Minutes of ~~Special~~ Monthly Meeting of the
 Loughrea Town Commissioners held on
 Monday Nov. 6th 1933.

Chairman - Mr. P. Cahill,

Members present - Messrs J. V. Laughlin
 M. Dwyer, P. Whane, C. Coughlan, & Mr. Ward.

Read Minutes of last meeting which
 were confirmed & signed -

The Order made on Oct. 24th re Raising
 Scheme was confirmed -

Submitted Local Election's (proposals)
 Order 1933 - and Circular stating the
 "Noted" 15th July 1934 was date appointed
 for holding Elections - Order - "Noted"
 The Town Steward recommended the
 purchase of a set of 6 - 14" x 6" Rollers
 for House Sweeping Brush.

Order - "purchase set of Rollers from
 the Official Contractor."

Submitted Report from the Town Steward
 re Fire Hose - as follows - The ^{amount} Fire Hose
 is in perfect working order is -
 5. 30 feet (2½ inch) lengths Merryweather
 Double Lister Canvas Hose -
 4. 60 feet (2½ inch) Angus Glass Canvas
 Hose. The total length available

is 390 feet.
 The Fire Extension ladder was fitted with
 a new set of ~~Coupler~~ of 2½ inch steel
 Rollers and new ropes -

"Approved"

An Order was made to draw the local
 Electrician's attention to the bad lights
 coming from the street lamps -

It was decided to get all printing done
 locally in future -

An Order was made to pay the following
 Bills for stores -

Mr. M. V. Regan - £4-10-0

Mr. J. Hillel - 1-14-0

Rev. St. Jennings - 1-2-0

The following were also ordered for payment -
 Miss Amaban printing & Stationery £1-3-2
 Mr. V. Carrall " 1-2-6
 Elec. Supply Board 1 mt's lighting 8-6-8

Mr. Coughlan proposed vote of sympathy
 with Mrs. the relatives of the late Mrs.

W. Kelly
 Seconded by Mr. Ward and
 Unanimously passed in silence -

The pay sheet was signed, all payments
 entered thereon including £40 for contingencies -

Clerk reported that the Local Government Dept. had forwarded copies of Orders Confirming the Building Order 1933 and Building Order No 3. which were handed to Mr. Cyprian, Solicitor. Excluded from the map were the following -

Annie Egan	No 2.
Joseph P. Cunniff	No 3.
Mary A. Kennedy	No 4.

The Board unanimously approved of said Orders.

J. Cahill 4. 12. 33

Minutes of proceedings of Special meeting of the Sanchoes San Commission held on Thursday 23rd Nov. 1933.

Chairman - Mr. P. Cahill.

Members present. Messrs M. P. Fahy, P. Duane, J. Devine, W. J. Duffy, Mr. Dynes, C. Coughlan, J. V. Sarginer, and Mr. Ward.

Plans of 12 (twelve) Houses proposed to be built in Cabbage Lane together with specifications were submitted and approved.

After ^{some} discussion it was decided to defer further consideration of the Housing Question to a special meeting on 24th inst. at which Messrs Duffy & Fahy J. C. would disclose result of interviews to the meeting.

Messrs W. J. Duffy & M. P. Fahy were deputed to accompany Mr. Cyprian to interview owners of lands proposed to be acquired.

J. Cahill being a person
 elected as Chairman for the
 Gaughra Tans Commissioners
 in the County of Galway hereby
 declare that I take the said office
 upon myself and will duly and
 faithfully fulfill the duties to
 the best of my ability and
 judgement.

Dated this 24th day Nov. 1933.

Witness - H. M. Kiely
 Tans Clerk,
 24/11/33.

Minutes of Annual Meeting of the
 Rathfriland Town Commissioners held
 on Monday 24th November 1933.

Members present were Messrs
 P. Cahill, W. J. Duffy, J. V. Faughlin
 Mr. Dynes, Mr. Ward, J. C. Coughlan,
 J. Henne and Mr. P. Fahy.

On the proposition of Mr. Ward, seconded
 by Mr. Fahy, the Board unanimously
 re-elected Mr. P. Cahill for the
 eleventh year as Chairman to the
 Rathfriland Town Commissioners.

Mr. Cahill thanked the members in
 suitable terms for re-electing him as
 Chairman and signed the usual
 Declaration accepted by his office.

Clerk gave notice of Audit to be held
 by Mr. Daniel O'Keefe L. J. C. on the 28th inst.

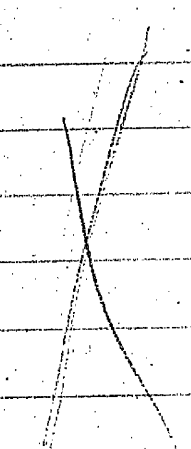
The following report was submitted by
 Mr. Mr. P. Fahy J. C. Re Housing Scheme

" 25th Nov. 1933.

" Mr. A. W. Cupper L. L. D. Solicitor, with
 Mr. W. J. Duffy J. C. and Mr. Mr. P. Fahy
 J. C. called upon the occupiers of the

" lands on which cottages are proposed to
 be built, Re prices of sites.
 The following arrangements were made:-

- Cabbage Lane -
 The Abbey Fathers 19 1/2 per. Agree to £ 10-
 Thomas Realy 1 Rd. 14 per. 6 yds. " £ 25
 (to be under no legal expenses)
 Joseph Conniffe - not at home -
 Mrs. Farrell 19 1/2 per. Agree to £ 10
 Right of way next O'Neill's cottage if possible.
 Abbey Road -
 Mr. Mc Namara 33 1/2 per. Agree to £ 20.
 Michael Kelly 21 per. would not agree and
 would not name a price Offered him £ 10.
 John Mulken would not agree Offered him £ 5
 Mrs. C. Henney 21 per. ch's - Dr. Cupper
 has written her offering £ 10
 Abbey Street -
 Mrs. Mooney agreed to £ 15 -
 Consent of Mercy site for Rathfriland Bridge
 32 per. - Dr. Cupper has written offering £ 15 -



The above report was unanimously
 approved and an order made to
 "that Dr. Cupper Solicitor proceed
 with the matter!"

Read Circular H. 12/23/33. Dated 20th Nov. 33.
 Stating - "as far as possible that in
 new houses being erected under State
 aided. Schemes gates and ranges

Sinkable for the use of turf will be installed."

Order - "Refer to Mr. Lee B. Sumner"

J. Cahill 4 12 33

Minutes of proceedings of Monthly Meeting of the Langhney Land Commissioners held on Monday Dec. 11th 1933.

In the Chair - Mr. J. Cahill, (Chairman)

Members present - Messrs J. O'Laughlin,

J. Deane, P. Coughlan, J. Devine, Mr. Hynes and Mr. Ward.

Minutes of last meeting were read, confirmed and signed.

Submitted application for apartments in the Bridewell signed Joseph Daly, (former tenant the late Mrs. Healy)

Order - "Accepted" Land Steward to have range replaced by a gate sinkable for running turf.

Land Steward reported that the Fire Hydrant in Cross St. was not in working order.

Order - "Refer report to Waterworks Inspector"

On Mr. Deane's proposition, seconded by Mr. O'Laughlin, it was decided to pay premium for insurance on press & its contents.

On Mr. Deane's proposition, seconded by Mr. Deane it was decided -
 to carry all arrears of town rates forward to next year and strike new rate for period ending 31/3/34 on Jan. 1st 1934.

Order "passed unanimously."

Submitted Resolution from Sullamore Urban Council re Legislation of the Annual Town Charge in all Housing Schemes

On the Chairman's proposition, seconded by Mr. Deane, the Board unanimously adopted said Resolution.

Submitted quotations for "Official Seal" from Messrs Kelly's Ltd. Dublin & Messrs Pasely & Co.

It was decided to adjourn consideration of purchasing Seal to next meeting.

Submitted bill of £4-3-0 being for poundage on Rates collected @ 5%.

Order - "Pay"

An Order was made to advertise for tenders re Housing Scheme - if permission was granted by Mr. A. Deane, C.M.P.

Mr. Deane proposed and Mr. Coughlan seconded a vote of sympathy with Mrs. Frank Fahy, Dublin on the death of her father.

On Mr. D. Langhlin's proposition, seconded by Mr. Ward the Board tendered sympathy to Sr. M. Paul, Mercy Convent, ~~London~~ Portumna and Rev. Fr. Bernard Baines P.P. on the death of their sister the late Sister Margaret Mary Baines.

Votes of sympathy were also passed with Mr. J. Kelly on death of his child - Mrs. Cunniff, Galway Road, death of husband - Mr. J. Ford, Main St. death of child - Mrs. Ford, Kilchess, death of husband - Mrs. Willem, on death of father.

The pay sheet was signed by the Chairman & two members of the Board, all payments entered therein including £80 + 1 for Contingencies.

J. Cahill 15.1.34

Minutes of proceedings of Monthly
meeting of the Rathfriland Town
Commissioners held on Monday 8th Jan. 1934.

Chairman. Mr. P. Cahill.

Members present. Messrs Mr. Dynes,
J. V. Langhlin, P. Whane, Mr. Ward,
and C. Pughlan.

On the proposition of Mr. Mr. Ward
Seconded by Mr. P. Whane the Board
unanimously struck a Rate of 1/-
(one Shilling) in the pound on all
Buildings and $\frac{1}{4}$ (one fourth) on
land for the period 31/3/34 - 31/3/34.
Notice of which was put on the Agenda.

Proposed by Mr. Mr. Ward - Seconded by
Mr. Mr. Dynes a rate of condolence
with the Chairman on the death of
his brother (the late Mr. James Cahill
Main St. Rathfriland.)

A Resolution of sympathy
on the death of the late
Mrs. James Staunton, Main St. was
proposed by Mr. J. V. Langhlin, Seconded
by Mr. M. Dynes.

The Board decided to purchase a
Seal from L. J. Contractors for purpose.

of stamping documents -
The design to be "Rathfriland
Town Commissioners in Irish."

All other Business was adjourned to
Jan. 15th 1934 -

P. Cahill 15.1.34

Minutes of proceedings of Monthly Meeting of the Loughrea Town Commissioners held on Monday 15th Jan. 1934.

Chairman - Mr. P. Cahill

Members present - Messrs J. O' Loughlin, P. Deane, J. Deane, Mr. Flynn, W. J. Wally, N. Carty, Mr. Hayes, Mr. Fahy, C. Coughlan, & J. Mulcair

Minutes of last meetings were read, confirmed & signed -

Submitted Auditor's Report Re Audit of a/c's for period ended 31/3/33. signed by David O'Keefe Esq.

On Mr. O' Loughlin's proposition seconded by Mr. Deane the Auditor's Report was unanimously approved.

Clerk was directed to write Mr. O' Began, E. E. with a ^{request} ~~letter~~ to have defective lights at the Abbey gate remedied.

On Mr. O' Loughlin's proposition, seconded by Mr. Hayes the following resolution was unanimously passed -

That the Electric Supply Board be requested to give directions to allow public lighting in the streets during Xmas night & New Year night in future for the convenience of persons attending

Midnight mass and other devotions on those nights - If the Board are not prepared to agree to this extra expenditure, the Loughrea Town Commissioners will arrange for lights to be extinguished on two fair nights instead as the public convenience demands that the public lighting should be maintained on Xmas and New Year nights -

"passed unanimously"

Submitted Report signed by James Steward - Re Hoarding erected by Mr. J. Willem -

Order - "Serve Ten Days Notice to have Hoarding removed."

James Steward also reported Ryebank in Cross St. was out of order.

Order "Clerk write Waterworks Inspector & bring the matter under his notice"

James Steward's report also stated that "people opening streets & road ways fail to restore them to their original condition."

James Steward was directed to report ^{to the Board} the cost of repairing roads in future in such cases -

Seven Tenders as follows were for the erection of Twelve Buses in Carriage Lane were submitted & considered - Due notice

of which was given in the Agenda and
Local Press.

Thomas Higgins, Galway - £3,150-3-4.
 G. H. Black, Athlone - £3,582-15-2.
 Thomas Mitchell, Woodlawn - £3,620-5-4.
 Robert McDonnell, Galway - £3,732-8-2.
 William McDonnell, Fungheer - £3,865-5-8.
 Messrs P. Coy & M. Nevin, Gal. - £350 per House.

Cornelius O'Neill, Co. Clare - £H. 227-10-0.

The Board unanimously decided in submitting
all Tenders to their Engineer Mr. G. Lee,
for his consideration and ordered that
Mr. R. McDonnell's - of Galway - Tender be
recommended to Engineer.

Mr. J. Devins proposed that Mr. Brendan
Sweeney More St. Fungheer, be appointed "Clerk
of works" in connection with the proposed
erection of Houses in Cabbage Lane.
Mr. J. O'Laughlin seconded.

A motion by Mr. M. Flynn, seconded by
Mr. Mulcairn that the position be advertised
was withdrawn.

Mr. P. Duane proposed that Mr. G. Gilchrist
be appointed -
seconded by Mr. L. Curtly.
Mr. P. Duane withdrew his motion, and

Mr. B. Sweeney was unanimously appointed -

The pay sheet was signed by the Chairman
and two Members of the Board - all
payments were entered therein -

Minutes of proceedings of Special Meeting
of the Loughrea Sanb Commissioners held
on 30th January 1934.

Chairman - Mr. P. Cahill.

Members present - Messrs Mr. Hynes, J. O'Laughlin
Mr. Fahy, J. Devine & Mr. Ward.

A letter was read from Mr. G. Lee B.E.
stating that the Tender of Thomas Higgins
& Co. Galway after correction was
£ 3,479-19-4, and recommending acceptance
of said Tender for Erection of 12 Houses in
Cabbage Lane, as he is capable of carry out
the Contract."

On the motion of Mr. Ward, seconded by
Mr. Mr. Fahy the Board approved of Mr. Lee's
letter & ordered that a copy be forwarded
to Housing Department.

On Mr. O'Laughlin's proposition, seconded by
Mr. Hynes, the Board unanimously decided
in applying for loan for £ 4,000.

Mr. Hynes proposed and Mr. Ward seconded
a vote of sympathy on the death of the

late Mr. Joe Devlin M.P. Belfast.

"passed in silence"

P. Cahill 5/2/34

Minutes of proceedings of Monthly Meeting
of the Loughrea Town Commissioners held on

Monday 5th Feb. 1934-

In the Chair - Mr. P. Cahill, (Chairman)

Members present - Messrs J. O'Laughlin,
J. Dennis, Mr. Ward, Mr. Hayes & C. Coughlan.

Minutes of last meeting were read confirmed &
Signed -

submitted application for stone breaking signed
J. W. Walk & John Burke -

Order - "Referred to Town Steward."

X Clerk was directed to write to Housing Dept.
for particulars re Cheapest Rate of Interest
on Housing Loan.

Read letter from the Elec. Supply Board dated
22/1/34, acknowledging Resolution re
public lighting during Xmas season - &
stating the Board's requirements are noted
and will be attended when the quotations
for the year commencing April 1st 34 is being
issued.

Order - "Noted"

Submitted application signed Thomas Flynn
for permission to open footpath in
Kelly's St. for sewerage connection -

Order - "Granted"

An order was made to ask the Co. Surveyor's
permission to open footpath at
Mrs. Marmion's re water-pipe.

Clerk was directed to serve 7 days notice
on Mr. J. Dillon, Barrack St., re obstruction
erected by him, with a view to having
it removed immediately -

Read letter of thanks from Mr. J. F. Staunton
for vote of sympathy passed on death of
mother -

Submitted Bill from L. G. Dept. for £ 3 -
See for Auditing A/c for year ended 31/3/33.

Mr. Coughlan proposed & Mr. O'Laughlin
seconded vote of sympathy with the relatives
of those who lost their lives in "Corrib"
tragedy, Galway.

The pay sheet was signed by the Chairman
& two members of the Board, all
payments were entered therein including
£ 50 to Clerk for contingencies -

The following Bills were passed for payments -

Contingencies -	£30-0-0-
Clerk for Revision of Rates -	3-0-0-
Mr. J. Sweeney, Coal -	3-2-6-
Mr. J. Realy, Sand -	1-4-6-
Mr. J. Robinson, Repairs to Pub -	1-14-0-
W. G. Dept Audit -	3-0-0-
Clerk's Salary 1 month -	2-18-4-
Sum Sweeney's Salary 1 month -	4-19-4-

M. J. Fahy
3rd March 34

Minutes of proceedings of Special Meeting of the Loughrea Sanit Commissioners held on the 26th Feb. 1934.

Chairman - Mr. P. Cahill -

Members present - Messrs. J. V. Loughlin,

C. Coughlan, Mr. P. Fahy & J. Deane -

On Mr. V. Loughlin's proposition, seconded by Mr. Deane the Board unanimously accepted as secretary for Mr. Thos. Higgins Esq. Griffin Road, Galway, Contractor for 12 houses to be erected in Cullage Lane, Messrs J. Jennings, Bridge Hotel, Galway & Mr. W.E. Cuyler, director, Galway Lill Factory -

An order was made to request the Minister for Local Government & P.H. to sanction original plans prepared for consent site, the Board being willing to give a subsidy of £50- per house with the Minister's permission -

After some discussion on the matter it was decided to advertise the position of Clerk of Works @ ~~£~~ 12 1/2 per cent on contract price - the order made on 15th Jan. 34 to be rescinded - appointing Mr. Brendan Sweeney - as Clerk of Works -

An order was made to instruct W.R. A.W. Cuymer & L.D. to prepare Bond & Contract for the erection of Houses in Cabbage Lane.

M.P. Fahy
5th March '34

Minutes of proceedings of Monthly Meeting of the Fallowfield Town Commissioners held on Monday March 5th 1934 -

In the Chair - Mr. M. P. Fahy, A.C. Chairman.

Members present were - Messrs J. O'Laughlin, J. Devine, P. Duane, Mr. Aynes & J. Mulcain.

Minutes of last meeting were read, confirmed and signed.

Submitted four applications for position of Clerk of Works for the Cabbage Lane Housing Scheme, (Notice of which was given on the Agenda) viz:-
Messrs Brendan Sweeney, Moore St. Fallowfield.
J. J. Naughton, Fallowfield.
Patrick Sweeney, Moore St. Fallowfield.
J. J. Kennedy, Fallowfield.

On the proposition of Mr. O'Laughlin, seconded by Mr. Mulcain the Board unanimously agreed in recommending Mr. Brendan Sweeney, Fallowfield, to the County Surveyor (Mr. Lee) for the position of Clerk of Works as per terms of advertisement.

Clerk was instructed to forward the four applications to Mr. Lee.

Read letter no B. 1984/34 dated 24/2/34.

stating that ~~of~~ $5\frac{3}{4}\%$ was the Rate of Interest charged on Housing Loans -

Order - "Noted."

An Order was made that a "speed limit" of "Twenty miles per hour" be put in force on all motor cars passing through the town.

Clerk reported that she issued two petroleum licences for the period ending 31/12/34. to Messrs Sweeney Bros. and the American Oil Co., and lodged money to Credit of Board -

Order - "Approved".

Submitted Circular from the Fairist Association requesting the Board to provide a Rate for Fairist purposes -

Order - "Reply stating the County Council have already done so."

Submitted the Road Traffic Act 1933, Under No H. 1933 -

Order - "Noted."

The following bills were ordered to be paid
Messrs Kelly's Dublin. Rate Book. 3-18-4.

Water Rates in Bredwell period 30/9/33-10/7/34	
Fair Stewart's Salary 1 mt.	7-19-4.
Fair Clerk's " " "	2-18-4.
Contingencies -	30-0-0.
Banker's Fees -	2-10-0.

The pay sheet was signed by the Chairman & two members of the Board - all payments were entered therein -

J. Cahill 2.4.34

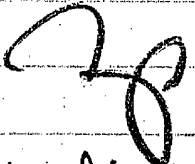
Minutes of proceedings of Monthly Meeting of the Rathfriland Town Commissioners held on Monday 2nd April 1934.

In the Chair - Mr. P. Cahill, Chairman.

Members present were - Messrs M. P. Fahy, J. V. Laughlin, J. Mulcair, J. Devine,

Minutes of proceedings of last meeting were read, confirmed and signed.

Submitted Tenders for supply of sand for period ending 31/3/35 - signed John Healy Ballingarry, @ 1/11⁰⁰ per ton, delivered on nearest public road.

Order - "Accept" 

Submitted One Tender for grazing of field, signed Patrick Keoghane, The Square, Lic. @ £6-11-0 period from 23/4/34 to 23/4/35.

An Order was made "to accept it," it being the only Tender submitted.

Only one Tender was received for Heap of Manure from Patrick Deely @ 10/2

Order - "Refuse" & Refer sale of same to

to John Steward.

Mr. John Corcoran's Tender for general supplies was accepted, on Mr. Devine's proposition seconded by the Chairman, for year ending 31/3/35.

Read letter dated 8/3/34 No. H 23228 R. Y. W. sanctioning the borrowing of £4,000 for the erection of 12 Houses in Cabbage Lane.

Order - "Approved"

Read letter from the C. Galway Libraries Committee asking co-operation in connection with their Annual Conference, in May 1934.

Messrs M. P. Fahy & J. Mulcair were selected to attend said Conference.

Read letter from the R. Y. W. dated 14/3/34 No. H 26338 Re Erection of Houses on Cemetery site.

Clerk stated she furnished the necessary information, as instructed.

Order - "Approved"

John Steward was directed to accept stones

from Mr. M. Flynn @ 1/- per board - situate at the Fair Green.

Read letter dated 13/3/34 from Mr. Lee County Surveyor stating he had no objection to the appointment of Mr. Brendan Sweeney as Clerk of Works.

Order - "Approved"

Clerk was ~~instructed~~^{H.M.K.} directed to instruct Dr. Cymon Saberton "to take proceedings against James Christian for £4-4-0 of bill of arrears of Rent due by him."

James Stewart was directed to give employment to Sweeney & Daly to enable them to clear arrears of Rent.

Submitted Bill for Twenty Five pounds being cost of Street lighting for 3 Months ended 31/3/34 -

Order - "Pay"

The Paysheet was signed by the Chairman & two members of the Board, all payments entered therein including £23 - for contingencies -

J. Cahill 7. 5. 34

Minutes of proceedings of Special Meeting
of the Rathfriland Town Commissioners held on
April 6th 1934.

In the Chair - Mr. P. Cahill -

Members present - Messrs J. V. Langhin.

J. Devine, C. Coughlan & W. J. Duffy.

Submitted plans and layout for erection
of 9 Houses at Athenry Road, prepared
by Mr. George Lee, County Surveyor -

The Adoption of said plans was
proposed by Mr. V. Langhin,
Seconded by Mr. Coughlan,
passed Unanimously -

Submitted Correspondence re new Agreement
for Public Street Lighting from the
Electric Supply Board -

Orders - "Summon Special for 10th inst.
to consider the matter."

A Vote of sympathy was passed with Mr.
P. Leahy on death of his wife -
proposed by Mr. Coughlan -
Seconded by Mr. Mr. Cahill -

A Resolution of sympathy was proposed
by Mr. Cahill,
Seconded by Mr. Devine, with Mr. J. Hawker
on death of his wife -
passed in silence -

P. Cahill 7.5.34

Minutes of proceedings of special meeting of the Langheer Town Commissioners held on 10th April 1934.

In the Chair - Mr. P. Cahill,

Members present - Messrs J. V. Langheer,

Mr. Flynn, J. Mulcairn & Mr. Dynes.

~~Read new Agreement dated~~

Submitted details of new Agreement for public lighting, dated 4/4/34 Ref. No. J.A.

for period ending 31st March 1935 - at the inclusive charge of £145-2-3.

On Mr. Mulcairn's proposition, seconded by Mr. Mr. Flynn - the Board unanimously agreed to accept the demand of the

E. S. B. and enter into new Agreement
P. Cahill 7 5 34

Minutes of proceedings of special meeting of the Langheer Town Commissioners held on 14th day of April 1934.

In the Chair - Mr. P. Cahill,

Members present - J. V. Langheer, J. Dwyer, Mr. P. Fahy, & C. Coughlan.

Submitted letter No. 34618/34, dated 13/4/34.

from the Minister of Local Government & Public Health - requesting a Report re number

of insanitary houses in the town.

It was decided to request M. U. H. to furnish Report for next monthly meeting.

An Order was made to request the

Minister for L. G. & P. H. to approve of

plans for Cornish of Mercy site & Athney

Road, without further delay.

The Town Steward was authorised to

his steam-huller for purpose of steam
 pulling some lanes in town - The lanes
 to be chosen after taking into consideration
 state of water main or sewerage -

Messrs Cahill & Aynes were deputed to
 interview Mr. Brendan Sweeney, Clerk
 of Works, re Weekly Remuneration, or
 Remuneration at fee of $2\frac{1}{2}\%$ on
 Contract price -

J. Cahill 7.5.34

Minutes of proceedings of Monthly Meeting of the Rathfriland Town Commissioners held on Monday 7th May 1934.

In the Chair - Mr. P. Cahill,

Members present - Messrs M. Hynes, J. V. Raughra, Mr. P. Fahy & P. Duane.

The minutes of last monthly meeting and 3 special meetings were read, confirmed & signed -

Read letter from Town Clerk applying for 2 weeks leave of absence -

Order - "granted" - "Miss Florence Cahill to act as Deputy".

Read letters from the Electric Supply Board dated 15/4/34. Ref. No. 3A. Re public lighting in Rathfriland.

~~It was decided to~~

Order - "Write E.S.B. requesting them to erect 3 extra lamps in places to be selected by the Commissioners." also request an interview with their representatives."

Read letter from Mr. A. W. Capman, Solicitor,

Re Tenant James Christian -

Order "Serve notice to quit and proceed for possession of premises held by the said James Christian."

Read letter dated 16/5/34. Ref. No. 60495/34. from Housing Department of L. G. O. sanctioning appointment of Mr. Brendan Sweeney as Clerk of Works for Cabbage Lane Housing Scheme.

The suggestion by Minister L. G. O. that Mr. Sweeney be employed at a week by rate instead of amt. on contract price was adopted unanimously.

Order - "Proposed by Mr. P. Cahill, seconded by Mr. M. Hynes that remuneration of £4 per week be paid Mr. Sweeney, from date of commencement of employment." "passed unanimously".

It was decided to forward report of Mr. V. H. (Mr. Lim-lan) re insanitary houses, to L. G. Dept. stating the Commissioners were willing to be liable 1/2 of the occupant's contained in ^{said} report if the Minister agreed to pay 66 2/3% of Annual Town Charges.

An order was made to make application

for payment of an instalment of £1,000
from Housing Loan sanctioned for
erection of Cabbage Lane Houses.

Mr. P. Swan proposed a vote of sympathy
with Mr. John Hogan, Mayor, on death
of his wife.

Seconded by Mr. P. Cahill & passed in silence.
An Order was made to refund £3-10-0 - Town
Rates overpaid by Elec. Supply Board -
The pay sheet was signed by the Chairman
and two members of the Board & all
payments entered therein -

P. Cahill 4. 6. 34

Register of Mortgages

4th June 1934.

Mortgage from the Longhore Town Commissioners
to the Commissioners of Public Works in Ireland.
Mortgage executed by Mr. Patrick Cahill,
Chairman, and Messrs. James Mulcair and
Francis Devine, two Town Commissioners, on
behalf of the Longhore Town Commissioners.
Mortgage also signed by H. M. Killy, Town Clerk
in the presence of Andrew W. Conyn, Solicitor,
Longhore.

Mortgage £4000 and charged on the Rates of the
Town of Longhore.

26th March 1935.

Mortgage from the Loughrea Town Commissioners
to the Commissioners of Public Works in Ireland.
Mortgage executed by Mr. Patrick Cahill, Chairman
and Messrs. Michael Dynes, John Conry, Thomas
Connair and Patrick Fay, five Town
Commissioners on behalf of the Loughrea
Town Commissioners. Mortgage also
signed by H. M. Killy, Town Clerk, in the
presence of Andrew W. Conyn, Solicitor,
Loughrea.

Mortgage £1766 and charged on the Rates
of the Town of Loughrea.

26th March 1935.

Mortgage from the Loughrea Town Commissioners to the Commissioners
of Public Works in Ireland. Mortgage executed by Patrick
Cahill, Chairman, and Messrs. Michael Dynes, Peter Mallon, Michael
Dynes and Patrick Fay, five Town Commissioners on behalf of the Town
Commissioners. Mortgage also signed by H. M. Killy, Town Clerk, in the presence
of Andrew W. Conyn, Solicitor, Loughrea. Mortgage £2833 and charged on the
Rates of the Town of Loughrea.

Minutes of Proceedings of Monthly Meeting
of the Longhore Town Commissioners held on

Monday 4th June 1934 at Limerance
Hall Barrack Street, Longhore.

Chairman - Mr. P. Cahill

Members present - Messrs. Michael Hydes,
James Mulcair, Patrick Duane, Michael
Hydes and Francis Devine.

(Mr. A. W. Cuymer & L.W. also attended.)

The minutes of last monthly meeting
were read, confirmed and signed

It was proposed by Mr. Michael Hydes and
seconded by Mr. Francis Devine, that the deed
of mortgage dated the 4th day of June 1934,
now read whereby security is given to the
Commissioners of Public Works in Ireland
for the repayment of the sum of £4040
proposed to be advanced by them to the said
Town Commissioners under the Housing of the
Working Classes Acts be signed and sealed
by Patrick Cahill (Chairman) James Mulcair
and Francis Devine three of the said
Town Commissioners on behalf of the said
Town Commissioners

It was proposed by Mr. Michael Hydes and
seconded by Mr. Francis Devine and
unanimously resolved that inasmuch
as the Commissioners do not immediately
require from the Commissioners of Public

Works in Ireland, the total amount of the sum
mentioned in the deed of mortgage to them this
day executed by the Commissioners, but proper
to receive the same by instalments as occasion
may require, it is resolved that the requisition
for each advance shall be intimated to
said Commissioners by the Chairman of the
Commissioners for time being, countersigned by
Michael Hydes. And that each such requisition
shall be forwarded to the accountant of the
said Commissioners and that all such advances
shall be lodged to our account in the Longhore
Branch of the Irish Bank Ltd.

An Order was made to refund £4.14.1 to
Mr. A. W. Cuymer Solicitor, if being expenses
on Mortgage Re Loan of £4,040 for erection
of 12 Houses in Cabbage Lane -

Submitted Clerk of Works Report Re Cabbage
Lane Housing Scheme - dating from 9th
April 1934 to 14th June 1934.

On Mr. Francis Devine's proposition
seconded by Mr. Michael Hydes it was
decided to pay Clerk of Works (Mr.
Brimston Sweeney) £28 - (being for 7 weeks
(@ £4 per week))
passed unanimously -

Clerk was instructed to request Clerk of Works and County Surveyor to see that the Cabbage Lane Building Scheme would proceed more rapidly in order that contract would be complete by the 30th Sept. 1934.

Mr. M. Dwyer proposed and Mr. M. Flynn seconded & passed unanimously -
"That £100 (One Hundred pounds) be transferred from their No 1. A/c to No 2 Housing A/c.

Submitted Report signed by James Stewart (Mr. P. J. Finneyan) stating he had summoned Daniel Murray & Thomas Kearns Galway Road, for trespass of horses in, dumping ground.

Order - "Adjourn for 3 months."

James Stewart reported that the Board's horse was suffering from laminitis in both legs & it was necessary to put her out on grass for six months - (Mr. M^{rs} W. Kelly Veterinary Surgeon examined her on the 1st inst)

An Order was made to advertise for a Horse 16 hands high - 5 to 7 years old - to be purchased by the Chairman and Mr. Michael Dwyer.

Advertisement to be published in local press and public notices in the town -
Submitted application for a house in Daulpin St. signed by Mr. Patrick J. Kelly, Atherry Road.

Order - "Adjourn for future consideration"

Read letter from Dr. A. W. Cuymer, Solicitor re notice to quit served on James Christian, tenant in Bridewell.

Order - "Ask sureties to pay arrears due"

An Order was made to "employ tractor for hauling sand - and apply for sprayer"

Submitted correspondence from Dr. A. W. Cuymer R.H.D. dated 17/5/34 re erection of 4 Houses at Convent site & stating that the Earl of Newwood's solicitors are prepared to accept 20 years purchase head rent of £1-9-11. to redeem said plot.

Order "Approved"

Read letter dated 15/5/34 Ref. H 4892 H/3 L. G. Dept. sanctioning the Convent of Mercy site also plan & specification for 4 Houses therein submitted 19th Sept. 1933.

Order - Ask Mr. Lu to furnish plan

specification & layout for this scheme"

Submitted Circular 58/1934 - dated 24/5/34
 L. G. W. - drawing attention to the failure
 of members of Local Rating Authorities
 to pay Rates assessed on them -

Order - "Noted."

The pay sheet was signed by the
 Chairman & two members of the Board
 all payments entered therein including
 £2.8 to Clerk of Works, £65 to Clerk
 for Contingencies & cost of Horse.

Submitted application from Es. Board for a
 Refund of £3-10-10 over payments of Rates.

Minutes of proceedings of ~~the~~ special
meeting of the Rathfriland Town Commissioners
held on Monday 18th June 1934; Re payments for
Housing Scheme - (Cabbage Lane site)
Chairman - Mr. P. Cahill.

Members present - Messrs J. Mulcairn, M. Hynes,
J. Devine, P. Quinn, C. Coughlan,
M. Flynn.

Submitted certificate for Messrs Thomas
Higgins & Co. Galway, for £400- (Seven
Hundred pounds) in connection with
Cabbage Lane Housing Scheme - signed by
George Lee Esq., Engineer - leaving a
balance undischarged of £2,450-3-4.

Proposed by Mr. Patrick Quinn, seconded
by Mr. Francis Devine "that Messrs
Thomas Higgins & Co. Contractors be paid
the sum of £400- (Seven Hundred pounds)"

"passed unanimously"

Clerk reported that she lodged in the
Hibernian Bank the sum of £1,000-
(One Thousand pounds) received from the
Commissioners of Public Works, being first
instalment of the loan of £4,040-

Order - "Approved"

Submitted application from W.R. A.W. Cymmer
Solicitor, for the sum of £300-
(Three Hundred pounds) of the loan
for the purpose of paying Mr. Healy,
Mrs. Farrell, The Strain's and Mr. Canniffe
compensation for their plots in
Cabbage Lane.

Order - proposed by Mr. Michael Flynn
seconded by Mr. Charles Coughlan &
passed unanimously "that £300-
(Three Hundred pounds) be paid to W.R.
A.W. Cymmer Solicitor."

Read letter dated 8th June 1934 H.69013/1934.
L. of Dept. stating that if an agreement
re payment of compensation has been
reached, advertisements may be issued
inviting tenders for the contract at Convent
site.

Order - "Noted" - "Write Mr. Lee on the matter"

Messrs Patrick O'Connell (Chairman)
& Michael Hynes reported that they
had purchased a 6 years old Bay
"Coat" gelding 16 h. h. certified to be
sound by J. McW. Kelly V. St. at £25
(Twenty Five pounds)

Order - "pay"

Clerk was instructed to Refund £3-10-10 to E.S.R.
being overpayment of Town Rates -
An Order was made to transfer the
Workmen's Insurance to an Irish Company.
(The Hibernian.)
P. Cahill 9.7.34

I, Lawrence Carty being a person Elected
as Tann Commissioner for the Tann of
Kangaroo in the County of Galway, hereby
Declare that I take the said office upon
myself and will duly and faithfully fulfill
the Duties thereof to the best of my
judgment and ability.

Dated this 6th July 1934.

Signed - Lawrence Carty

Declared before me this 6th July 1934.

W. M. Kelly,
Tann Clerk.

I, Patrick Coy. being a person Elected
as Tann Commissioner for the Tann of Kangaroo
in the County of Galway, hereby Declare
that I take the said office upon myself
and will duly and faithfully fulfill
the Duties thereof to the best of my judgment
and ability.

Dated this 6th July 1934.

Signed - by above Patrick Coy

Declared before me this 1934.

W. M. Kelly,
Tann Clerk.

J. Thomas Conran being a person
 Elected as Town Commissioner for the town
 of Bangor in the County of Galway
 hereby declare that I take the said office
 upon myself and will duly and faithfully
 fulfill the duties thereof to the best of my
 judgement and ability.

Dated this 6 July. 1934.

Signed - Thomas Conran

Declared before me this 6th July 1934.

H. M. Kelly
 Town Clerk

J. Charles Coughlan being a person
 Elected as Town Commissioner for the
 town of Bangor in the County of Galway
 hereby declare that I take the said office
 upon myself and will duly and faithfully
 fulfill the duties thereof to the best of
 my judgement and ability.

Dated this - July 6th 1934.

Signed - Charles Coughlan

Declared before me this 6th July 1934.

H. M. Kelly

J. Martin Regan. Being a person
 Elected as Town Commissioner for the
 town of Banghree in the County of Galway
 hereby declare that I take the said
 office upon myself and will duly and
 faithfully fulfill the Duties thereof to
 the best of my ability.

Dated this - 6th July - 1934.

Signed - Martin Regan.

Declared before me this 6th July 1934.

Honora M. Shely,
 Town Clerk

J. Martin Ward Being a person
 Elected as Town Commissioner for the town
 of Banghree in the County of Galway
 hereby declare that I take the said office
 upon myself and will duly and faithfully
 fulfill the Duties thereof to the best of my
 ability.

Dated this 6th day of July 1934.

Signed - Martin Ward

Declared before me this 6th July 1934.

H. M. Shely
 Town Clerk

I, P Cahill Being a person
 Elected as Town Commissioner for town
 of Bangor in the County of Galway
 hereby declare that I take the said office
 upon myself and will duly and faithfully
 fulfill the duties thereof to the best
 of my judgement and ability -

Dated this 6-7-34

Signed - P Cahill

Declared before me this 6th July 1934.

N. M. Kelly
 Town Clerk

I, John Corry Being a person
 Elected as Town Commissioner for town
 of Bangor in the County of Galway
 hereby declare that I take the said
 office upon myself and will duly and
 faithfully fulfill the duties thereof to
 the best of my judgement and ability -

Dated this - 6-7-34

Signed - John Corry

Declared before me this 6-7-34

N. M. Kelly
 Town Clerk

I, Peter J. Moran being a person
 Elected as Tann Commissioner for
 Town of Banghree in the County of Galway
 hereby declare that I take the said
 Office upon myself and will duly and
 faithfully fulfill the Duties thereof
 to the best of my judgement and
 ability -

Dated this 6th day of July 1934

Signed - Peter J. Moran

Declared before me this 6th day of July 1934

N. M. Killy,
 Tann Clerk

I Michael Hayes being a person
 Elected as Tann Commissioner for the
 Town of Banghree in the County of
 Galway hereby declare that I take the
 said Office upon myself and will duly
 and faithfully fulfill the Duties thereof
 to the best of my judgement and
 ability -

Dated this - 6th July 1934

Signed - Michael Hayes

Declared before me this 6th July 1934

N. M. Killy,
 Tann Clerk

I, Michael Flynn being a person elected as Town Commissioner for town of Banghrea in the County of Galway hereby declare that I take the said office upon myself and will duly and faithfully fulfill the duties thereof to the best of my judgement & ability.

Dated this 6th day of July 1934.

Signed by above Michael Flynn.

Declared before me this 6th day of July 1934.

H. M. Kiely,
Town Clerk.

I, James Finn being a person elected as Town Commissioner for town of Banghrea in County of Galway hereby declare that I take the said office upon myself and will duly and faithfully fulfill the duties thereof to the best of my ability.

Dated this 6th day of July 1934.

Signed by above James Finn.

Declared before me this 6th day of July 1934.

H. M. Kiely,
Town Clerk

I, Patrick Cahill, being a person elected as Chairman for Banghrea Town Commissioners in the County of Galway hereby declare " That I take the said office upon myself and will duly and faithfully fulfill the duties to the best of my judgement and ability.

Dated this 6th day of July 1934.

Signed by above Patrick Cahill.

Declared before me this 6th day July 1934.

H. M. Kiely,
Town Clerk

Minutes of proceedings of ~~Monthly~~ Annual Meeting of the ~~Langford~~ Lann Commission held on Sunday 6th July 1934 -

In the Chair Mr. P. Cahill. (Chairman)

Members present - Messrs Laminee Carty, Patrick Coy, Thomas Connair, Martin Ward, Charles Coughlan, Martin O'Regan, Michael Dynes, John Cusack, Peter Maylan, & Michael Flynn.

The Clerk read the circular notifying the meeting which was assembled for the purpose of electing Chairman for the ensuing year.

In the motion of Mr. Ward, seconded by Mr. Dynes Mr. P. Cahill was selected for the position.

Mr. P. Coy proposed Mr. M. O'Regan - Mr. L. Carty seconded -

In a poll being taken there voted as follows -

Carty for O'Regan,
Coy declined.
Connair declined
Coughlan for O'Regan
O'Regan declined -

Minutes of proceedings of Annual Meeting of the Rathfriland Town Commissioners held on Sunday 6th July 1934.

In the Chair - Mr. Patrick Cahill.

Members present - Messrs Lawrence Carty,

Patrick Cay, Thomas Connors, Martin Ward, Martin O'Regan, Charles Coughlan, Peter Maylan, John Carty, Michael Rynes & Michael Flynn.

All members signed the usual Declaration accepting their office before taking their seats as members of the Board.

The Clerk read the Circular notifying the meeting which was assembled for the purpose of electing Chairman for the ensuing year -

Mr. M. Ward proposed - Mr. P. Cahill,
Mr. M. Rynes seconded.

Mr. P. Cay proposed - Mr. M. O'Regan,
Mr. L. Carty seconded.

On a poll being taken the voting was as follows -
Mr. O'Regan - Carty & Coughlan - 2.

Mr. Connors and O'Regan declined to vote.

For Cahill - Ward, Maylan, Carty, Cahill
Rynes Flynn = 6.

Mr. Cay asked for private voting -

Chairman ruled against it.

A discussion re legality of Chairman took place -

Clerk read Section 8, 9, 10 of the Local Election Act, 1924 -

Chairman ruled accordingly and declared Mr. Cahill re-elected Chairman for the coming year -
P. Cahill 9. 7. 34

Minutes of proceedings of Monthly meeting of the Ranghwa Lun Commissioners held on Monday July 9th 1934.

In the Chair - Mr. P. Cahill.

Members present - Messrs Mr. Sines, Mr. V. Regan, P. Coy, C. Coughlan, J. Conry, L. Carly, J. Connaire & P. Maylan

The minutes of the Annual Meeting held on the 6th July 1934 were read & confirmed & signed.

Mr. Sines proposed, Seconded by Mr. Carly or vote of sympathy with Mr. P. Maylan (Hotel proprietor) on the great loss he had sustained in the recent outbreak of fire which destroyed his premises -

passed unanimously.

Mr. Maylan thanked the Board in suitable terms.

Mr. Sines proposed & Mr. Conry seconded "that no politics would be discussed at their meetings and that matters of

a political nature be excluded from the Business of the Board"

Mr. Regan proposed "that an amendment "that questions affecting the national issue be discussed at their meetings" and gave notice "that he would move at next meeting of 4th Aug. 31. to have the Resolution and the Rules excluding politics rescinded."

Clerk reported that the Tenders for the Erection of 4 Houses at Convent site and 9 Houses at Athenny Road would be considered at meeting to be held on 4th Aug. 1934.

Order - "Approved."

Read letter from Messrs Regan & Shields Sols. Re Compensation claimed by Patrick Madden casual employee of the Board. Terms received on his right hand.

Order - "Refer the matter to Mr. Cupper Solicitor."

Clerk was directed to have 2 Casual workers covered under the Workmen's Compensation Insurance.

Submitted Clerk of Work's Report Re Cabbage Lane Houses -
Order - "Approved"

together with 3 per

An Order was made that Messrs Higgins & Co. Contractors, Galway, be written and notified that unless the Contract for Cabbage Lane House is not complete by the 30th Sept. 34, the Board will inflict the full penalty on the Contractor.

Clerk was instructed to ask the Revenue Commissioners to stay their demand for Income Tax on Brendan Sweeney (Clerk of Works) until Aug. 4th when a settlement would be made.

"Re Mixed Bathing in the Lake."
After a lengthy discussion it was unanimously agreed that the Bathers be compelled to adhere to their respective places as hereto practiced in the town viz: "The male portion at Long Point" and the Ladies at Courten side of the Lake."

It was ordered that notices to this effect be posted throughout the town.

After some discussion re Sheep Fairs in the town it was unanimously agreed to confine all sheep to the Fair Green on fair days. The Guards to be instructed to see that the order was carried out.

An Order was made to pay Messrs O'Farrell & Co. £19-16-6. being for Election printing etc..

Re Fire apparatus for the town - Mr. O'Regan was requested to bring the matter under the attention of the Board of Health. The necessity of with a view to providing a fire engine for the recently Home, the Commissioners being prepared to guarantee portion of the cost.

On Mr. Conroy's proposition seconded by Mr. Coy it was unanimously decided to hold the meetings for the summer months at 9 p.m.

Passed Unanimously -
Re James Christian, Tenant in Bride well, Degree for possession was adjourned (was adjourned) to August 1934.

Mr. Coughlan proposed seconded by Mr. Cahill "That no Tenant be allowed to exceed four weeks arrears in Rent."

Passed Unanimously -

Clerk was instructed to insert in Treasurer's Advice Note No 2 a/c. Amount Certified by Mr. J. Lee to be paid Messrs Higgins & Co. Contractors -

Submitted Bill for 6 weeks @ £10 per week for Mr. B. Sweeney, Clerk of Works.
Order - "pay"

Clerk reported that a second installment of £1,500 of the loan of £4,000 was received & lodged in the Hibernian Bank.

Order - "Approved"
Submitted particulars re Overpayment of £3-10-0 Rates paid by the Elec Supply Board!

The pay sheet was signed by the Chairman and two members of the Board all payments were interest free including £1.15 for contingencies.

P. Cahill 7. 8. 34

Minutes of proceedings of Monthly
meeting of the Langhaun Town Commissioners
held on the 4th August 1934.

In the Chair - Mr. P. Cahill, Chairman.

Members present - Messrs Mr. Dynes, P. Carty,
J. Conn, P. Coy, M. Flynn, J. Connair,
P. Maylan, J. Sinn, W. O'Regan,
C. Coughlan and M. Ward.

Minutes of last meeting were read, confirm-
ed and signed.

Three Tenders for Creation of Nine Houses
at Athlery Road were received and
considered as follows -

Messrs Coy & Keim, Langhaun -	£ 2,444-4-11.
Mr. Robert Mac Donald, Galway.	£ 2,689-18-16.
Messrs J. O'Riordan & Co. Galway.	£ 2,492-19-3.

Clerk reported that Messrs J. O'Riordan's Tender
was received late according to time
specified in advertisement.

Mr. Mr. Dynes proposition seconded by
Mr. Cahill the Board unanimously
decided in considering said Tender -

Clerk was instructed to transmit the
three Tenders to Mr. Lee, Co. Surveyor,
and forward to Minister L.G. and P.H.
for sanction -

Two Tenders for the Creation of Four
Houses at the Convent site were received
and considered - viz: Messrs J. O'Riordan
Galway - £ 1,582. Mr. R. Mac Donald, Galway, £ 1,400.
Order - Transmit all Tenders to Mr.
Lee, Co. Surveyor, and forward to
Minister L.G. and Public Health for
sanction.

Read (Mr. M. O'Riordan's) Inspector's
Report re Cabbage Lane Houses - received
from Dep. L.G. and P.H. Ref. N.S. H. 80948/34
stating "the timber might be better
and the workmanship more careful" and
that great attention will have to be
paid to the plastering etc."

Clerk stated she forwarded copies of
Report to Clerk of Works, Engineer
and the Contractor.

Order - "Approved"

Mr. M. O'Regan moved his motion -
"That the resolution inserted in the
Minutes excluding politics from the
meetings be rescinded -

Mr. P. Coy seconded -

On a poll being taken there voted
for the motion - Messrs Regan,
Carty, Coy, Connors and Coughlan. 5.

Against the motion - Messrs Ward,
Finn, Dupes, Mighan, Coffey, Cahill
and Flynn - 4.

The Chairman declared the motion
was lost by 5 votes against 4
votes -

On Mr. Ward's proposition seconded
by Mr. Dupes the Board agreed
to pay Presiding Officers and Clerks
who acted at local elections and
forward Bill for half the amount to
the County Council -

passed Unanimously -
Submitted Clerk of Works Report re
Cabbage Lane Housing Scheme - which
stated "that the Contractor had
sublet part of his Contract to Mr. J.
Kerrin, Yahoy Road. etc. etc."

Order - "Forward copy of Report to
Mr. Lee, Engineer."

Clerk of Works submitted Bill for
3 weeks and 5 days pay at £ 4.
(Four pounds) per week -

Order "Pay" less £ 1-14-6 Income
Tax -

Clerk reported that she had received
several applications for Licence of
Daulphin St. Houses -

Order - "Adjourn consideration of same
until houses are complete and a
Rent fixed on same -"

On Mr. Coy's proposition, seconded
by Mr. Coughlan the Board decided
to extend the footpath at Yahoy
Road -

Mr. Connors gave notice that he
would move at next meeting of
the Board - "to have Electric
light lamps erected in Cosmona."

On Mr. Coy's proposition, seconded
by Mr. Coughlan the Board tendered
sympathy to Sean J. O'Kelly Esq.
Minister for Local Government &
Public Health on the recent lamentable
death of his wife -

Passed in silence"

Mr. Mr. Coughlan's proposition
 Seconded by Mr. Cahill a vote of
 sympathy was passed with Rev.
 Fr. Jennings ~~John~~ on the
 death of his father the late Mr.
 Martin Jennings, B'she.

An Order was made to notify the
 Secretaries of Tenants in Bridewell
 as to amount of arrears of Rent
 due.

John Steward reported that the
 Black Mare was out on grass at ^{cost}
 4/- per month and that the
 new horse met with an accident
 on the 16th July 1934 but was now
 working satisfactorily. He also
 states that he procured grazing
 at 6/- per ~~month~~ week.

Order - "Approved."

An Order was made to prosecute
 all trespassers ^{found} in the Board's field
 in future.

After a lengthy discussion the
 Board unanimously agreed in
 having the Order Re Sheep being
 confined to Fair Green (made on
 the 19th July 1934.) Rescinded.

Mr. Mr. Ward's proposition Seconded
 by Mr. Coughlan the Board unan-
 imously decided in forwarding a
 Resolution to the G. S. Railway Co.
 drawing attention to the delay in
 Attorney General for passengers travelling
 from Loughrea to Fahan and Ullahin.
 It was also decided to ask for cheaper
 market tickets to Loughrea.

The pay sheet was signed by the
 Chairman and two members of
 the Board all payments being
 entered therein -

J. Cahill 3.9.34

Minutes of proceedings of Monthly Meeting of the Rathfriland Town Commissioners held on Monday the 3rd day of September 1934.

Mr. P. Cahill, Chairman, presiding.

Members present were Messrs L. Carty, Mr. Rynes, Mr. V. Regan, P. Coy, Mr. Ward, J. Connair, C. Coughlan, P. Maylan, J. Conroy and Mr. Flynn.

Minutes of last meeting were read, confirmed and signed.

Mr. J. Connair moved his motion - "That Electric Light be erected in Cosmona for the convenience of the Residents of Cosmona."

After a lengthy discussion on the matter they voted for the Motion - Messrs Connair, V. Regan, Carty and Coy - 4 -

Against - Messrs Rynes, Conroy, Flynn, Maylan & Ward. - 6 -

The Chairman declared Mr. Connair's motion lost.

Read letter from the U.S. Railway Co. acknowledging receipt of Resolution Re Train-service and stating "that on and from the 10th September 1934 the evening train will depart for 3.35 p.m." and that cheap fares to Rathfriland every Saturday and Thursday were on a very low basis."

No votes made -

Submitted Auditor's Report for the period ended 31st March 1934 -

Order "Approved"

Read Circular from the Ministry stating that the rate of interest on all issues made from the Local Loan Fund for Housing Schemes and other approved works on and after the 1st Oct. 34 will be at the rate of $4\frac{3}{4}\%$.

"Noted"

Submitted Clerk of Works Report on Cahage Lane Housing Scheme dated 3rd Sept. 34, which stated "that the entire Contract would be completed in about five weeks."

Clerk reported that she forwarded
Orders for Athlone Road and the
"Convent site of Mercy site" Housing Schemes
to the Minister for L. H. & P. H. for
sanction, which were returned by Mr. Lee
together with Engineer's Remarks on same.
No Order made.

(The) An Order was made to summon
Special Meeting for the 14th Sept. 34
to consider the Rents of Cabbage Lane
Houses.

Clerk reported she received 14 applications
for Licensure of the new Houses.

Order "Adjourn to Special Meeting."

Submitted petition signed by Thirty-one
Residents of Cosmona ~~was submitted~~
approving of Mr. Lynch's motion to
have the Electric Light extended to
Cosmona and drawing attention to
the deplorable state of the Road & footpaths.

Order "Refer Road and footpaths
to Town Steward (Mr. Shanahan)"

Read letter from Mr. Sean J. O' Kelly
Minister for Local Government, conveying
sincere thanks for sympathy in
his bereavement. (the death of his wife)

Read letter of thanks from Rev. J. R. Jennings
D.D. for vote of sympathy on death
of his father. (the late Mr. Jennings
Ballinacree.)

Mr. J. Gilchrist and the Town Steward
were deputed to mark the trees in the
walks that were a danger to the public
and report at next meeting.

The Town Steward was instructed to have
the pot-holes in Cross St. and other
roads repaired.

Submitted Circular from the Board of
Health re Survey of Housing needs.

Order - "Adjourn until the necessary
Forms of Survey come from the Depart-
ment."

Submitted Bill from Mr. B. Sweeney
Clerk of Works for Town works
@ £4 per week ended 1st Sept 1934.

Order "Pay"

Submitted certificate for £ 800 for
presses J. V. Higgins & Co. (Cabbage
Lane Scheme) signed by Mr.
Lee Engineer -

Order - "pay"

Clerk was instructed to write Mr. Lee
Re Boundary wall for Cabbage Lane
Houses -

Mr. P. Cuff gave notice that he would
move at (next) meeting 2nd Oct. 34.

"That the Board appoint a Fairs and
Market's Committee comprising of 6 members
of the Board and 6 men who would
be interested in that particular line
with a view to improving their local
Fairs and Markets."

Order "put on agenda for Monthly
meeting"

Submitted Returning Officers Bill of
£ 9- for Contested Election under
as per Scale of Expenses Section A.
(11) and Bill for Counting -
staff £ 2- 9- 0 - Section B. (11.)

Order "pay as per Scale of Expenses"

Submitted bill for the pounds from J. Reilly,
being for conveying Ballot Boxes from Chest house,
attendance at hour during Count & Clearing Room.

Order - "pay"

The pay sheet was signed by the
Chairman & two members of the
Board and all payments entered
therein.

J. Cahill 2. 10. 34

Minutes of proceedings of Special Meeting of the Cabbage Lane Commissioners held on Monday the 24th day of September 1934
Re Rents of Cabbage Lane Houses.

Mr. Patrick Chairman, presiding.

Members present were - Messrs M. Dwyer, P. Coy, R. Carthy, J. Finn, P. Maylan, J. Connair, J. Conry, Mr. Flynn, Mr. Ward, and E. Coughlan.

Mr. A. D. Quinn, Solicitor, attended the meeting and explained to the Board that the rent of Cabbage Lane Houses would be 5/- or 6/- per week.

Read Circular dated 14th Sept. 1934 Ref. No. H 118548/34 from the R. U. Dept. stating "The Commissioners should bear in mind the all-in-cost of the houses in Cabbage Lane when taking the question of Rent into consideration."

On Mr. Conry's proposition seconded by Mr. M. Flynn the Board unanimously agreed in forwarding a detailed account of the estimated cost of erecting the twelve houses in Cabbage Lane to the Local

Government Department ~~with~~ for Ratification -
"Passed Unanimously"

Read letter from the Minister for Local Government & Public Health sanctioning the tender of Messrs Thomas Higgins & Co. Galway of £1,582 for the erection of 12 Cabbage Lane Houses on the Convent site. (Ref. No. R. 110868 - dated 21st Sept. 1934.)

The Board agreed to carry on with the scheme -

Messrs P. Coy, R. Carthy and J. Connair were deputed to wait on Mr. J. Regan Co. C. re provision of fire apparatus for the houses and for water locally.

The Board decided to name the newly erected houses in Cabbage Lane - "Abbey Terrace"

Mr. Conry's letter re ^{leakage in} drain-pipe was referred to Mr. Lee, Engineer.

An Order was made that the
Board revert to the hour of
8 p. m. for holding meetings
dating from Nov. 1934.

per Cabell 2-10-34

Minutes of proceedings of Monthly Meeting of the Loughrea San Commissioners held on Monday the 2nd day of October 1934.

In the Chair - Mr. P. Cahill,

Members present - Messrs. M. O'Regan, Mr. Pym, R. Carty, J. Connors, J. Carty, P. Maylor, and Mr. Ward.

Minutes of last meeting were read confirmed & signed.

Submitted Clerk of Work's report on Cabbage Lane Housing Scheme, which stated "it would take the Contractor (3) Three weeks to complete the work".

The report was approved of.

Clerk was instructed to write Engineer Mr. Lee for his report on Cabbage Lane Housing Scheme.

Mr. Pym's notice of Motion Re Lairs & Market Committee was adjourned to next monthly meeting.

Read letter from Mr. Rochford, Station-master, Loughrea, asking the Co.

operation of the Board "to maintain the service on the Branch line by having all materials for the Building Scheme, conveyed by Rail."

Order "Ask the Contractor to convey materials for Building Scheme by Rail" and have in a condition in future Building Contracts that as much material as possible be conveyed by Rail."

Read letter from Mr. B. O. Boy Beine Mr. V. B. Re Survey of Housing Needs.

Mr. Linnegan, Town Steward, was deputed to accompany the Engineer (Mr. Lee) and Mr. B. O. Beine when making the necessary the survey.

Clerk was directed to make application for Balance of Loan being £1,540.

Town Steward submitted report Re arrears of Rent due by Biddnell tenants, which stated "a decree for possession was granted in the case of J. J. Christian" and that a genuine offer had been made by Sweeney and Daly to clear arrears."

Clerk reported that notice had been

Stood on the A. A. Office re
erection from Bridwell of James
Christian and family.

In Mr. J. Regan's proposition seconded
by Mr. Conroy the Board unanimously
passed a Resolution requesting
the County Council to formulate
a scheme to steam-rod main
roads within a radius of one mile
of the town and all streets and
laneways in the town.

An Order was made to purchase a
new Horse's Collar.

In the Town Steward's recommendation
it was decided to hire the
Stone-Crusher from the County Council.

Read letter from the Minister Local
Government & Public Health stating
"He would raise no objection to the
acceptance of the Tenders of Thomas
Biggin & Co. for the erection of
ninth houses at Athenny Road."

Order "Adjourn consideration of Messrs
Biggin & Co's Tenders for erection
of nine houses at Athenny Road,
until special meeting on the 15th inst.
when Tenders would be discussed fully."

Submitted bill from Mr. B. Sweeney,
Clerk of Works for four weeks
ended 29th Sept. 1934 at £4 per week

Order — "Pay".

Submitted Certificate signed G. Lee
Engineer for £400 - amount to
be paid Messrs J. Biggin & Co.
Contractors for the Culbadee Lane
Drainage Scheme, leaving a balance
undischarged of £1,450 - 3 - 4 -

Order — "Pay".

The pay sheet was signed by the
Chairman and two members of
the Board all payments were
entered therein including thirty
pounds for contingencies.

J. Cahill 5. 11. 34

Minutes of proceedings of
Special Meeting of the Langhrea
Town Commissioners held on
the 15th Oct. 1934.

In the Chair - Mr. P. Cahill.

Members present - Messrs Mr. Ward,
P. Cahill, M. Ryan, J. Conner,
P. Mullan and J. Corry.

Read letter from Messrs Pogan and
Shields Solicitors, re Smith of
Messrs Coy, Heins and Co. for the
erection of nine houses at Athony
Road, "requesting the Board to
accept the Smith of Martin Heins on
his own behalf, Mr. Coy consenting
to his making this tender entirely
on his own account."

After a lengthy discussion on the
matter the Board referred it to
their Solicitor, W.A. W. Cunniff.

Patrick Madden, Galway Road, appears
before the meeting with a request for grant in
compensation for sums received while
in the employ ment of the Board.

Chairman informed him the matter was

was referred to their solicitor, when
Mr. Madden left the meeting.

Mr. Coy gave notice "that he would
move at the next meeting to be
held on the 5th Nov. 1934 -
"That a Clearance Order under
the Housing Act 1931, be declared
so that the higher subsidy of 66 $\frac{2}{3}$ %
of the annual loan charge be
obtained for the erection of the
nine houses at Athony Road."

Order "put on Agenda."

Mr. Ward gave notice "that he would
move at next meeting 5th Nov 1934 -
"That one of the new houses proposed
to be built at the Cornub site be
procured for the accommodation of the
Board's property."

Order - "put on Agenda"

Submitted Town applications for
the apartments vacated by James
Christie in the Buidemell, viz -
Messrs - Michael Fahy, John
Shanghnessy, John Nicholas, & Mrs. J.
Price,
On Mr. Corry's proposition

Seconded by Mr. Ward it was decided give the apartments to Mrs. H. Price.

Clerk was instructed to draw up Bond and have it signed by her sureties Messrs. Joseph Carey, and Patrick Murray.

Mrs. Jas. Christian wrote asking the Board to allow her tenancy of the Rindwell apartments from which she & her family had been evicted.

Order - "Refused".

Clerk was directed to instruct Mr. Cuyper to take proceedings for the recovery of arrears due by James Christian.

J. Cahill 5 11 34

Minutes of proceedings of Monthly Meeting of the Langhrea Town Commissioners held on Monday the 5th November 1934.

In the Chair - Mr. P. Cahill, Chairman.

Members present - Messrs P. Cahill, J. Connair, (Mr. Kynes), C. Coughlan, J. Curry, P. Maylan and Mr. Flynn.

Minutes of last meeting were read, confirmed and signed.

Mr. J. Connair moved his motion which was seconded by Mr. P. Cahill "that the dwelling houses occupied by Michael Moran, R. Kavanagh, Mr. Dawson, M. A. Mooney, Thomas Finnegan and Mary Kearns, situated in Alley Street, unfit for human habitation and declare that an unhealthy area in accordance with power conferred upon them by Section 12 (1) part 11 of the Housing (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1931-34, and recommended that the persons displaced together with three other families at present in occupation of dwelling houses unfit

for human habitation, be given tenancy of houses proposed to be erected in Stoney Road, and that the Ministry for Local Government and Public Health be requested to contribute 66 $\frac{2}{3}$ % of the annual town charges."

"Passed Unanimously"

On the proposition of Mr. P. Cahill, seconded by Mr. C. Coughlan, the Board decided to form an Industrial Development Association consisting of the Town Commissioners -

The following committee was appointed Messrs - P. Cahill, J. Connair, Mr. Kynes, J. Curry, and P. Maylan, with Mr. P. J. Finnegan, Secretary.

It was decided to bring to the notice of parties likely to be interested in the suitability of Langhrea as an industrial centre, the facilities which it offered.

It was decided to hold a public meeting within a fortnight to discuss the matter -

Mr. Ward's notice of motion was adjourned to next monthly meeting - Dec. 3rd 1934.

Submitted Circular re provision of meals Act for necessitous school children.

No order made.

Submitted Report on Housing Conditions in the town signed P. J. Linnegan, Town Clerk which stated "that the population increased 14.5% between 1911 and 1926. The number of dwelling houses in the town 450. The number of dwellings with more than two persons per room were 20, the total number of occupants being 110.

Estimate of Housing needs:-

- (1) Dwelling houses required 50.
- (2) To rehouse persons displaced from unhealthy areas - 25.

Read letter from the L. G. Wkph. dated 6th November 1934. Ref. No. H. 144932/34, fixing a rent of six shillings per week, exclusive of rates for the 12 houses in Cabbage Lane.

Order - "Advertise for tenants applications to be considered at Special Meeting Nov. 19th 1934."

On Mr. Cuy's proposition, seconded by Mr. Mullan, the Board unanimously adopted a Resolution from the Ennis Urban Council - "which called on the Government to introduce and pass into law a purchase Bill which will facilitate tenants in towns to become owners of their holdings."

The Clerk was instructed to communicate with the County J. Ds. to assist in getting a Bill passed through the Dail giving Town Tenants the right to become owners of their homes.

Messrs M. Ryan and P. Mullan were deputed to sell the Black Horse at fair Nov. 15th 1934.

Clerk of Works Report dated the 5/11/34. was approved.

On the Chairman's proposition seconded by Mr. Cuy, the Board unanimously agreed to continue Mr. Brennan Sweeney as Clerk of Works, on the Housing Schemes.

Mr. Cuy gave notice that he would move at next meeting that the 9 houses to be erected at Athensry

Road, he named the "Bundaw
Donlon Terrace".

On the motion of Mr. Cuff, seconded
by Mr. Mr. Ryan, the Board tendered
sympathy to Mr. R. Smyth, on the
death of his wife.

On the proposition of Mr. Cuff, seconded
by Mr. Cuff a vote of sympathy
was passed with Mr. R. Burke Galway
Prov. on the death of his mother.

On the motion of Mr. M. Flynn, seconded
by Mr. J. Connaire a vote of sympathy
was passed with Mrs. Wilmot on
the death of her brother.

Read letter from the Department stating
Mr. Thomas Donnelly had been appointed
district Inspector under the Factory and
Workshop Acts.

Read letter from the Elec. Supply
Board dated 26th Oct. 1934,
requesting a refund of £4-4-9
being overpayments of rates for 3 years
ended 6th March 1931.

Order - "Refer to W.A. Pymon, Solicitor".
Clerk reported that she received letter from Messrs
W.A. Pymon, Re Messrs Cuff, Neum & Co., Stating.

the Board could make no alteration in the matter.
The Board then declared Messrs O'Higgins, Contractors,
Submitted bill from Dept. L. G. & P. H.,
for £13-13-0 being cost of
Local Inquiry Re Housing Scheme
August 1933.

Order - "Refer to W.A. Pymon, Solicitor"

Submitted bill from Clerk of Works
4 weeks 3 days @ 13/4 per day £18-0-0.

Order - "pay"

Submitted bill from Commissioners of
Public Works for 1st Instalment Interest
on loan to the 31st October 1934. being
£50-19-4.

Order - pay if approved by the Solicitor

The pay sheets were signed by the
Chairman and two members of the
Board all payments entered therein
including £35- for Contingencies.

On Mr. Cuff's proposition, seconded by Mr. Cuff,
the Board agreed to co-operate with the Law
Society in requesting that a 50% reduction
be granted in rents to all tenants.

Minutes of proceedings of Special meeting of the Keshmulla Board Commissioners held on Monday the 19th November 1934.

In the Chair - Mr. P. Cahill.

Members present Messrs P. Cuy, M. Rynes, J. Conry, P. Mynlan, C. Coughlan, J. Connors, Mr. Flynn, Mr. Walsh.

Read letter dated 6th Nov. 1934. Ref. No. H. 144932/34. Received from the R. of Dept. fixing a Rent of Six shillings per week, exclusive of Rates for the 12 Houses in Calbagh Lane.

Clerk reported that she advertised said Houses to be let at 6/- per week exclusive of Rates, applications to be considered on the 19th Nov. 1934.

Order - "Approved"

Clerk also reported there were 24 applications received, all applicants named two sureties except Mrs. Robert Reynolds and Guard - Whelan.

The Board decided to select the tenants by a Ballot vote, when the following were declared tenants:

Messrs B. Sweeney, Moore St.	9	(1)
Guard Whelan, Cross St.	9	(2)
Patrick Curley, Mt. Carmel Road.	9	(3)
B. Fallon, Moore St.	9	(4)
P. Mynlan, Dolphin St.	7	(5)
P. J. Kelly, Athensy Road.	7	(6)
J. Kelly, Cosmond.	7	(7)
P. Walsh, West Bridge	7	(8)
Mrs. Balliday, Main St.	6	(9)
J. Hearney, Abbey Street.	6	(10)
P. Reynolds, West Bridge	6	(11)
Thomas Finnegan, Abbey Street.	5	(12)

It was decided to give Mr. B. Sweeney, No 12, House and Mr. Kelly the one next to Gardy O'Niels, and No. 2 to Guard Whelan -

It was unanimously decided to give tenants a right of way through the rear of Terrace.

Mr. Lee, Engineer submitted specifications for railing around Calbagh Lane Houses.

Order "Invite Tenders locally for the work to be considered at next meeting"

On Mr. Coughlan's proposition, seconded by Mr. Rynes it was decided to put on agenda for next meeting,

consideration of the Acquisition of
Land (Allotments) (Amendment) Act
1934.

The Board decided to forward a
Resolution to the Ministry requesting
to make the Loughrea Sewerage and
water works schemes a county charge
and to point out that the ^{ratepayers} would have
no objection to paying portion of the
Loughrea charge, which was made a
county-at-large charge.

The Board had under discussion the
question of Rent Collection for Cabbage
lane Houses.

Mr. Finnegan James Steward stated
he would collect said Rents @ $2\frac{1}{2}\%$.

The Board decided to advertise the
position. Applications to be considered
at next meeting 3rd Dec. 1934.

Submitted Certificate signed Mr. Lee, Engineer,
for £800 to be paid Messrs Jas. V. Higgins,
Contractor, leaving balance undischarged
of £650-3-4 for Cabbage lane Houses.

Order. "pay" - p. Cahill 3. 12. 34

Minutes of proceedings of Monthly meeting of the Langhrea San Commission held on Monday the 3rd day of December 1934.

In the Chair - Mr. P. Cahill.
 Members present - Messrs P. Coy,
 Mr. Dynes, J. Conroy, J. Connors,
 C. Rughlan, P. Maylan, Mr. Flynn
 and Mr. Wusk and J. Finn.

Minutes of last meetings were read, confirmed and signed.

Submitted one Tender for iron railing in connection with Cabbage Lane Houses from Mr. B. Fallon, Attymer @ 6/6¹/₂ per yard.

Clerk reported that Engineer's Estimate was 2/11 per yard - in yardway.

Order - "Refer ~~Tender~~ Mr. Fallon's Tender to Engineer and ask for Estimate for Concrete wall with crossings (Rough-cast) with Iron gate.

Submitted 2 applications for position of Rent Collector, under the Housing of the Working Classes Act 1931 - as follows:
 Mr. Stanley Dynes, Dunkellin St. @ 5% on all Rents collected.

Mr. P. J. Finnegan, Dunkellin St. @ 2 1/2% on Rents collected.

Mr. Connors proposed that the applicant @ 2 1/2% be appointed. Mr. Coy seconded.

Mr. Finn proposed the applicant
 @ ~~2~~ 5% be appointed - Mr. Lory
 seconded -

On a show of hands, ^{been taken} Mr. Dynes was
 appointed @ 5% - subject to the Minister's
 sanction -

Chairman reported that the paying
 order for £800 issued to Messers
 J. Higgins, Contractor, at last meeting
 was not cashed owing to no money
 in bank to meet it -

Order - "Write ~~to~~ Housing Department
 to forward balance of loan (applied for,
 as soon as possible."

Read letters from Messers.
 J. Heegan, J. H. Burnett and

J. Shangnessy, stating they were
 unable to get employment on the
 Housing Scheme owing to their
 politics -

On Mr. Dynes proposition seconded
 by Mr. Cahill the Board made an
 order - "That the Contractor for
 the Housing Scheme be requested to
 give fair representation to labourers
 in the town, irrespective of their
 politics."

Chairman reported that he received the
 keys for the new houses erected at
 Cullin Lane, and handed same
 to Mr. A. W. Cymmer, Solicitor.
 Order - "Approved"

Messrs Cahill, Dynes & Coy were deputed to go through the list of Rate Defaulters.

Mr. Coy proposed "that the Contractor Messrs Thos. O' Higgins & Co., be exonerated from blame in not having the Contract complete up to date" - Mr. Connair seconded -

Order - "Approved"

On Mr. Coy's proposition, seconded by Mr. Coughlan, the Board decided "in requesting the Minister for L. Y. & P. R. to supply seeds

Manure, potatoe spraying materials & implements for the tenants of Labaner's Cottages, for the cultivation of their plots"

"passed Unanimously"

Mr. Coy moved his motion "that the Board when naming the Athenny Road Terrace of 9 Houses to call it "Brendan Donlan" Terrace as he was a Soldier who left down his life for Ireland"

Seconded by Mr. Curry -

Mr. Cahill proposed to adjourn the naming of houses until completed -

Mr. Ward seconded - a show of hands

For the motion - 5.

For the Amendment 5.

No Order made as the voting was equal.

On Mr. Dynes proposition, seconded by Mr. Curry, the Board formed

* a "General purpose Committee" comprising of Messrs P. Cuf, Mr. Dynes and the Chairman, Reports to be furnished to meetings.

The amount to be expended for Xmas Labour was referred to the Town Steward and the newly formed

"General purpose Committee"

Clerk of Works Report dated 3rd Dec. 1934 on the Cabbage Lane and Cornhill site houses - was approved.

An Order was made to pay Clerk of Works 4 weeks pay at £4 per week ended 1st Dec. 1934 as certified by

Engineer - Clerk was directed to ask for the Minister's Co-operation in supplying seeds, manures, spraying materials etc.

to Tenants of Labourers Cottages -

Submitted Bill of £4-11-6. from Mr. P. J. Limerick being poundage at 5% on £152-11-6 Town Rates collected.

Order - "pay"

Submitted Resolution from the Carrickmacross Urban Council re Travelling shops.

Order - "Adopted"

The Board decided in having the Tenants of the new houses pay rent weekly and Rent Collector to submit Report to monthly meetings re Collection. Arrears not to exceed 4 weeks.

P. Cahill 7.1.35

Minutes of proceedings of Special
Meeting of the Loughrea, Town Commissioners
held on Friday 21st December 1934.

Mr. P. Cahill, Chairman, presiding.

Members present -

Messrs P. Coy. Mr. Dwyer, J. Connors,
J. Coy. Mr. D. Regan, P. Mullan,
Mr. Ward.

Read letter from the L. G. W. Ref. No.
H. 170923/34, dated 17th Dec. 1934,
Regarding appointment of Rent Collector
under the Business of the Working
Classes Act 1931.

(a) Order — "Reply - stating the Rate of 5%
Commission was included in the
"All in cost" of the Scheme for the
Collection of Rates."

(b) "The applicant at the 2 1/2% was
already employed as Town Steward
and Rate Collector: also point out

that the applicant at 5% had
no other position."

Read letter signed James Brown, Mount
Carmel Road, received from the
R. Y. W. Ref. No. H 1634 69 / 34 Re
Employment of Cabbage Lane Houses.

Also copy of Mr. V. H.'s Report Form
A. received from the R. Y. W.
with reference to said applicant.

Order —

"Reply to R. Y. W. and state that —

"due regard was paid to Section 6,
(5) of the Housing (Financial
& Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1932,
when selecting tenants for the houses."

Clerk reported that "no agreement had
been made between the Board and
the owners of the Housing site
at Anthony Road, and that
the loan form was not completed."

Order — "Refer to W.A. Cuyman to
have Arbitration appointed"
J. Cahill 7.1.35

Minutes of proceedings of Monthly meeting of the Sanitary Commission held on Monday the 4th Jan. 1935.

In the Chair - Mr. P. Cahill.

Members present - Messrs Mr. O'Regan, P. Coy, P. Murray, Mr. Agnes, J. Linn and J. Connair.

Minutes of last meetings were signed.

Dr. B. O'Beirne B. M. O. H. submitted a report re his inspection of houses in Abbey Street and stated that the houses of the following should be demolished -

Michael Moran, P. Kavanagh, Thomas Linnegan, and Mary Kearns.

Dr. O'Beirne would not advise demolition in the case of Mr. A. Mooney and Mr. Dawling but advised to have them joined up with water and sewerage systems.

Order - "Adjourn consideration of Report".

Dr. B. O'Beirne B. M. O. H. also reported re slaughter houses and stated none of the slaughter houses, with the exception of Maylan's were suitable for registration under Section 125-126 of the Sanitary Improvement Clauses Act 1854-1847. and recommended that the public abattoir be repaired, fitted and improved.

Order - "Write Mr. Murray, Agent for Viscount Juscelis, to have public abattoir repaired etc."

Read letter from the Secretary G. W. U. intimating that his Branch had by Resolution pledged its support to the establishment of a

of a proposed factory at Loughrea -
the Board approved of the letter.

Submitted sanction from the L. G.
Depr. to the borrowing of a
loan of £1466 - for the
erection of four houses on the
Convent site.

Read letter from the L. G. W -
Re Acquisition of Lands (Allotments)
Acts stating the Act only applied
in the case of allotments
let to unemployed persons.

No Order made.

Read letter from Mr. J. Luby, B. L.,
J. D. and Messrs P. Boyan,
Mr. Killeen, and Mr. Sebn Bridrick
J. Ds. promising their support
to facilitate four tenants
becoming owners of their houses.

"Approval" of letters was
Recorded -

Read letter from the Secretary
(Mr. P. Duane) Fianna Fail
Cumann, requesting the Board
to ask the Ministry to extend the
Housing Act to enable Urban
areas to avail of the grant for
the reconstruction purposes.

An Order was made accordingly.

On Mr. Cuy's proposition seconded
by Mr. O'Regan, Co. Co., the Board
made an order that the Clerk
be allowed Ten shillings per house
as remuneration for work done
in connection with the Housing
Scheme - subject to the Minister's sanction.

Order - "passed unanimously"

Clerk reported that she made application for the first installment of one thousand pounds on the 1st inst. for the consent site housing contract -

Order - "Approved"

Clerk reported that the rate for the period ended 31/3/34 should be closed in order that the rate for the period ending 31st/3/35 - be struck as soon as possible.

An order was made to pay Mr. Lee, Engineer for Housing Scheme (Culbidge Lane) as per N. Y. scale of fees.

Submitted certificate for payment of £350 to Messrs O. Higgins Contractors for consent site houses.

Order - "With hold payment until installment of four is received."

Submitted certificate for £150 - for Messrs O. Higgins & Co. being final installment on Culbidge Lane Contract -

Order - "pay."

Submitted estimate for concrete fence 8" thick by 4' high at 4/6 per yard. for Culbidge Lane, New Houses.

Mr. Lee reported he was making arrangements to have a fourth path laid out by the Co. Council for above houses.

Order - "Approved"
J. Cahill 11.2.35

Minutes of Proceedings of Special
Meeting of the Kensington Lawn
Commissioners held on Thursday
14th day of January 1935-

Mr. P. Cahill - presiding -

Members present -

Messrs M. O'Regan, P. Coy, J. Connolly,
J. Connair, Mr. Flynn, P. Mayhew

Read letter from the L. J. Wiph...
dated Ref. No. stating that the
Minister could see no reason why
a Commission of 5% should be
paid for collection of Rents.

Order - proposed by Mr. M. Flynn

Seconded by Mr. P. Mayhew &
passed unanimously "that Mr.

Appointed S. Dymos, the applicant at 5% he
Temporary (appointed) Rent Collector
and proceed with collection of Rents"

An Order was made that a Lawn
Rate be struck at next monthly meeting -

Clerk was instructed to produce
at next meeting circular referring
to duplicate positions for employees.

P. Cahill 27-1-35

Minutes of proceedings of Monthly Meeting of the Rathfriland Town Commissioners held on Monday 4th day of February 1935.

In the Chair - Mr. P. Cahill -

Members present were - Messrs

M. V. Regan, Mr. Dwyer, P. Coy,

P. Mullan, J. Conry, M. Flynn,

C. Coughlan, J. Connors -

Minutes of last meetings were read confirmed and signed.

On the proposition of Mr. M. Dwyer seconded by Mr. P. Mullan, the Board unanimously decided in striking a Town Rate (Notice of which was given to the public and put on the agenda) of 1/- (One Shilling) in the pound on all occupiers of houses and premises within the township and the bounds

of such Rate upon mesuages, pasture and arable lands.

The Chairman declared that One Shilling in the pound was the Rate struck for the period ending 31st day March 1935.

Read letter Ref. No. H. 11203/35 dated 31st January 1935 from the Minister stating he is not prepared to sanction a higher poundage rate than 2 1/2 per cent for Rate Collection.

Order - "Re advertise the position at 2 1/2 per cent. Applications to be considered at next meeting 4th March 1935."

Submitted letter from the Minister Local Government and Public Health received from the Secretary J. J. G. W. W. drawing attention to the unsatisfactory way the labouring men are treated by Messrs Thos. W. Dwyers & Co. Building Contractors etc etc.

On the proposition of Mr. C. Coughlan, seconded by Mr. M. Flynn - the Board made an Order "That the Contractor Messrs J. W. Higgins and Co. be directed to have houses now being erected at the 'Convent site' completed up to date in accordance with the terms of his Contract."

Passed unanimously -

Mr. Dynes gave notice that he would move at next meeting March 14th 1935 - "That the Contractor be fined the amount of fifty pounds for the overtime taken in the construction of the houses at Abbey Terrace."

Order - "put on Agenda"

Read letter from Mr. Dymon Solicitor dated 23rd January 1935: stating "John Mulken, Catherine Heaney, and Michael Kelly, had

Refused to fix the price by agreement for the sites at Athinay Road."

Order "Apply to the Minister to send down them official to Arbitrate" (Mr. J. Henson.)

The Board decided in qualifying for the grant given for the erection of houses in Sluagh Clearance areas -

After a lengthy discussion the Board decided on Mr. W. Regan's proposition seconded by Mr. C. Kelly's Steamroll and King's Entry, at all cost not to exceed £114.10.0 - amount equal to that expended on Cross Street and Moore Street -

"Passed unanimously"

Read letter from the L. G. Dept. P. H. 162924/34 which stated

"That an area of Charge order was made on the 10th Nov. 1934, which alters to the County Health District the area of Charge for the expenses of the Lanquar Sewerage and water supply scheme."

Order "Approved."

Submitted (Mr. S. Dymis) Rent Collector's Report re Collection of Rents for Abbey Terrace which states he lodged £28-16-0 to the credit of the Board.

Also submitted Bill for poundage at 5 per cent (£28.16.0 @ 5% = £1.8-9.) plus 1/8th for stamps. Amount £1-10-5. (Collection made up to the 26th Jan. 1935)

On Mr. Cunniff's proposition, seconded by Mr. Meylan, the Board made an order to pay -

"Passed Unanimously"

Submitted Clerk of Works Report dated 4th Feb. 1935 on Atherton Road

and present site housing - he also reported re houses in Cabbage Lane requiring repairs.

Report was approved and an order made to refer to Engineer.

Submitted Report from tenants of "Abbey Terrace" houses regarding repairs, and the necessity of having drains created -

- (b) The making of "Right away" -
- (c) The removal of ashes & refuse.

James Stewart was directed to have refuse removed every Monday ~~at 10~~ (the rest) of the Report was referred to the Engineer.

Submitted a Bill for £15 from the Industrial Handicapment Association (constituted) of a sub-committee of James Commissioners

namely - Messrs M. Dynes, P. Coy
Thos. Connair, J. Corky,
Mr. W. Regan and P. Mhyllan.
with P. J. Finnegan (Secretary)

Deputation to Dublin 8/12/35 - £6-

Deputation to Dublin 18th Jan. 35 - £9

An Order was made to pay £15 -
"on condition that said amount
will be refunded by above
Committee if there is a
Surcharge by the Auditor".

"passed Unanimously"

The pay sheet was signed by the
Chairman and two members
of the Board all payments entered
therein including £35 - to
Clerk for contingencies -

Submitted application signed Thomas
Meass, Galway Road for a plot
of land under the "Acquisition
of Land (Allotments) Act, 1934.

Order "Adjourns to next meeting, and
invite applications under the above
Act."

Clerk Reported she made application
to the Minister for L. H. and P. Heath
for sanction to an Inter-draft of
£500 in order to meet payments
until the Mortgage deed for current
site is completed.

Order "Approved"

An Order was made to pay Messrs
J. W. Higgins & Co. amount certified
by Engineer when sanction for
Inter-draft is received.

P. Cahill 4. 3. 35

Minutes of proceedings of Monthly meeting of the Loughree Town Commissioners held on Monday the 4th day of March 1935.

In the Chair: Mr. P. Cahill.

Members present were Messrs P. Maylan, P. Coy, M. Byrnes, L. Carty, J. Conroy, C. Coughlan, J. Connors, and M. Ward.

Minutes of last meeting were read confirmed and signed.

Two applications for the position of Rent Collector were submitted as per advertisement, namely -

Mr. Stanje Byrnes, Dunkellin St. Loughree,
Mr. P. J. Finnegan, Dunkellin St. Loughree.

Mr. Coy proposed and Mr. Maylan seconded that Mr. S. Byrnes be appointed Rent Collector under the Housing of the Working Classes Act 1925.
Mr. L. Carty proposed Mr. Finnegan.
No seconder.

The Chairman then declared Mr. Byrnes appointed Rent Collector as per terms

of advertisement.

The Secretary U. J. W. W. submitted a list of names of applicants for allotments under the Acquisition of Land (Allotments) Act 1934.

Order - "Issue application forms to all who applied and again to next monthly meeting".

Clerk reported that she contacted for Roads as described in Work No 406 for the sum of £240.

Order - "Submit statement of amount expended on Roads and Horse feet, since Sept. 1934, together with terms of Mr. Finnegan's appointment as Town Steward at next monthly meeting."

Town Steward was directed to have all Chasells repaired.

Mrs. Price Linn in Bridwell reported there was rain down in the kitchen chimney was not drawing

satisfactory."

Order - "Refer to Town Steward to have the necessary repairs done."

Mr. B. Fuller attended the meeting with a view to having repairs done to his house No. 6, Abbey Terrace.

Order - "Refer to Engineer."

Submitted the Engineer's Report dated 19th Feb. 1934 which stated -

He would have the necessary repairs attended to at once in the Colborne Lane new houses - and that in his original lay-out plan he had provided for a right away which was struck out by the Department - and that there will be no charge for extras on this contract.

"Report approved."

Mr. M. Deyes moved his motion "That the Contractor (Messrs. V. O' Neiggin & Co. Galway) be fined £50 - for failing to have the contract for houses at Abbey Terrace completed within the specified time."

Messrs. V. Neiggin & Co. (who attended the meeting) refused to pay any portion of the fine, and stated he had done more work on these contracts than was specified in the contract.

On Mr. Cuy's proposition, seconded by Mr. Ponnair, the Board decided to let the Contractor off with a caution, on this occasion and he to be severely warned re fulfilment of his contracts in other schemes."

Mr. Deyes then withdrew his motion and it was "passed unanimously." Submitted copy of letter from John Hillier, Barrack St. together with copy of the Minister's reply thereto. Re subletting of contract by Messrs. V. O' Neiggin & Co.

Order - "Reply to Minister's letter stating the Board ^{will} ~~shall~~ insert a clause in future contracts that there would be no subletting allowed."

Read letter from the L. G. W. Ref. No. H. 16482/35 stating "the grant for the reconstruction of houses is available to any person denning his livelihood solely or mainly from agriculture, who is in occupation of agricultural land, or who is an agricultural labourer."

Order - "Noted."

Clerk reported that the Minister had sanctioned the obtaining of an overdraft for £500 in respect of Athlery Road Scheme. Ref. H. 6345/35. and an overdraft of £1,000 in respect of Convent site houses. Ref. No. H. 36406/35

Order - "Approved"

Submitted James Steward's Report which stated he proposed purchasing stones as follows -

Messrs A. M. Joubert	100 tons.
Thos. Juby	50 "
Christy MacNamee	25 "
Mary A. Bunk	25 "

Order - "Approved"

He also stated in his Report that the late Michael Dealy, map Hill, removed 40 tons stones from Cabbage Lane Building site and the (James Steward) requested the Board's permission to have them removed. Report also stated that Thomas Finhegan's house Abbey St. was in imminent danger of falling.

Order - "Refer Report to Mr. Cyprian"

Submitted Certificate from Mr. Lee for £132 - being 3rd instalment on Convent site scheme due to Contractor - leaving Balance of £900 undischarged.

Order - "pay"

Submitted Certificate for payment of £192 - 2nd Instalment due to Contractor on Athlery Road Scheme, leaving Balance undischarged £2000-19-3.

Order - "pay"

Rents

On Mr. Ward's proposition, seconded by Mr. Proylan, the Board decided that the Rent Collector (Mr. S. Dymes.) appointed under the Housing of the Working Classes Acts, be also collector for the Bridewell premises -
 "passed unanimsly"

On Mr. Dymes proposition seconded by Mr. Conroy, the Board made an order that the collection for Lane Rates for period ended 31/3/35 is not to be started until after next monthly meeting.

An order was made that any bills not submitted at least 1 day before date of meeting will not be considered for payment.

Submitted Clerk of Works Report dated 4th March 1935 on Convent site and Athney Road Schemes. which stated that the H. G. Inspector (Mr. Ryan.) ordered that hard-wood sills be put in the windows of the Convent site houses instead

of the Red deal that are in and that the repairs so needed in Mrs. B. Fallon's No 6 - Abbey Terrace were done.

Report was approved of -

The pay sheets were signed by the Chairman & two members. all payments entered therein.

J. Cahill 1.4.35

"A"

Minutes of proceedings of special meeting of the Loughrea Town Commissioners held on Tuesday the 26th day of March 1935 at the Temperance Hall, Loughrea.

In the Chair - Mr. P. Cahill, Chairman.

Members present - Messrs P. Maylan, M. Dynes, J. Connors, M. Flynn, P. Coy, & J. Conroy.

It was moved by Michael Dynes and seconded by John Conroy and Resolved -

That the deed of Mortgage of this date now read whereby security is given to the Commissioners of Public Works in Ireland for the repayment of the sum of One Thousand Seven Hundred and Sixty Six pounds, proposed to be advanced by them to us under the Housing of the Working Classes Act, be signed sealed & delivered by five of the Loughrea Town Commissioners present at the meeting on behalf of the Loughrea Town Commissioners.

"B"

At a meeting of the Loughrea Town Commissioners held at the Temperance Hall, Barrack St. Loughrea in the County of Galway the 26th day of March 1935 -

It was moved by Michael Dynes and seconded by John Conroy and Resolved -

"That in as much as the Commissioners do not immediately require from the Commissioners of Public Works in Ireland the total amount of the sum mentioned in the deed of Mortgage to them this day executed by the Commissioners, but prefer to receive the same by instalments as occasion may require, It is Resolved that the requisition for each advance shall be intimated to said Commissioners by the Chairman of the Commissioners for time being, countersigned by Michael Dynes, and that each such requisition shall be forwarded to the Accountant of the said Commissioners and that all such advances shall be lodged to our Account in the Loughrea Branch of theibernian Bank.

At a special meeting of the Loughrea Town Commissioners held at the Temperance Hall, situate at Barrack St. Loughrea in the County of Galway the 26th day of March 1935 at which the following seven Town Commissioners were present -

Chairman - Mr. P. Cahill.

Messrs Michael Rynes, John Conroy,
Michael Lynn, Patrick Coy, Peter Maylan
and Thomas Annair.

It was moved by Michael Rynes and
Seconded by John Conroy
and Resolved -

" That the deed of Mortgage of this date now read, whereby security is given to the Commissioners of Public Works in Ireland for the repayment of the sum of Two Pounds and Eight Shillings and Thirty Three pence proposed to be advanced by them to us under the raising of the Working Classes Acts etc. be signed and sealed & witnessed on behalf of the Loughrea Town Commissioners present at the meeting -

At said meeting of the Loughrea Town Commissioners held on the 26th day of March 1935.

It was Moved by Michael Rynes and
Seconded by John Conroy
and Resolved -

" That inasmuch as the Commissioners do not immediately require from the Commissioners of Public Works in Ireland the total amount of the sum mentioned in the deed of Mortgage to them this day executed by the Commissioners they prefer to receive the same by instalments as occasion may arise, It is Resolved that the Requisition for each advance shall be intimated to the said Commissioners by the Chairman of the Town Commissioners for time being, countersigned by Michael Rynes. And that each such Requisition shall be forwarded to the Accountant of the said Commissioners and that all such advances shall be lodged to their Account in the Loughrea Branch of the National Bank.

Minutes of Monthly meeting of the
Kangaroo Board Commissioners held on
Monday the 1st day of April 1935-

In the Chair - Mr. P. Cahill, (Chairman)

Members present - Messrs M. Dynes,
Mr. V. Regan, J. Conroy, P. Coy, P. Maylan,
J. Connors & O. Langhlan,

Minutes of last meetings were read
Confirmed and signed

Clerk reported that Mr. Lee and W. B. O'Brien
C. M. U. H. had made their inspection
Re Housing needs but had not furnished
them report so far.

Submitted statement of amount expended
on maintenance of roads, and horse feed
for the six months ended 31st March 1935-

(Cost of Roads = £ 264-2-4 - Horse-feed £ 16-19-0)

On Mr. P. Coy's proposition, seconded by
Mr. Conroy it was decided to give the
Horse 1 stone of Oats ~~every~~ day.

Read letter from the L. G. Dept. Ref. No. H
HOS32/35 - dated 12th March 1935, which
stated "that owing to Mr. Dynes being
a minor, he cannot legally enter
into a Bond for position of Rent
Collector, and the Board should
proceed to make a fresh appointment."

Order - It was proposed by Mr. Dynes
seconded by Mr. V. Regan "that the
position be advertised for next
meeting and the Minister be requested
to sanction 5% Commission for
collecting Rents."

passed Unanimously

Mr. P. Maylan moved his motion "that
the Clerk's salary be taken up for
Reconsideration ~~and~~ he proposed an
Increase of £ 10 per annum."

It was seconded by Mr. J. Conroy

and passed unanimously.

Order - "Forward to Minister for sanction."

Submitted six application forms for free plots to till, from unemployed persons, under the Acquisition of Land (Allotments) Act, 1934.

Order - "Adjourns consideration until next monthly meeting."

Submitted terms of Mr. Innegan's appointment dated the 6th Sept. 1931, Ref. No. 5852/31, as Farm Steward.

Mr. Barry proposed that the matter be adjourned to next meeting for consideration. Seconded by Mr. Maylan.

Mr. O'Regan proposed that the terms of appointment be discussed and not adjourned. Seconded by Mr. Connors.

On a vote being taken - there voted -
For the proposition - Messrs. Hayes

Maylan, Barry, and Cahill. N.

Against - Messrs. Coy, Connors, O'Regan, and Coughlan. H.

The Chairman gave his casting vote in favour of the adjournment and an order was made to put on terms of Mr. Innegan's appointment on Agenda for next meeting, May 6th 1935.

The Board decided to advertise for tenders for concrete wall and iron gates to be erected at "Sheep Service" Houses -

Tenders to be considered at special meeting April 8th 1935.

Tenders for general supplies, sand, grazing field and heap of manure also to be considered - at said meeting.

Messrs. P. Coy, M. Hayes, C. Coughlan, P. Maylan and the Chairman were selected as the "Tenders Committee".

The Farm Steward was instructed to have the main thoroughfare cleansed.

after the weekly markets on Thursdays and Fair days.

Mr. Mr. Dynes proposed a vote of congratulation to Mr. Mr. O'Regan, C.C. on his recent marriage -

Mr. Cotney seconded the Resolution which was passed -

? X The Board decided to advertise for tenants for the four new houses at the Convent site to be considered at next monthly meeting.

On the proposition of Mr. P. Cahill, seconded by Mr. O'Regan, a vote of sympathy was passed with Rev. A. J. Commins, C.C. on the death of his mother -

Submitted Clerk of Works Report which stated - "The staff of men working on the Athlone Road scheme is not up to the mark" and that he wrote Mr. Lee to have more tradesmen put on this contract"

The Report was approved of and Mr. Uden made to pay 4 weeks salary ended 30th March 1935.

The pay sheet was signed by the Chairman and two members of the Board all payments entered therein including £45 to Clerk for contingencies -

The Tender's Committee consisting of Messrs P. Cahill, J. Corry, J. Connors and P. Malton, & Mr. Dynes assembled in the Temperance Hall on April 8th 1935, to consider the following Tenders -

Grazing of field period ending 23rd April 1935.

The Tender of Mr. S. Morrison being the highest submitted £4-5-0 was accepted.

Mr. Healy, Ballingarry, tendered for sand at 1/6 per ton which was accepted, it being the only tender submitted.

Messrs M. Beatty & J. Corcoran tendered for general supplies.

Mr. Corcoran's tender being the lowest was accepted.

No tender was submitted for Reap of Manure - "Refer to Sam Steward"

Submitted the following Tenders for the Erection of a Concrete wall 101 yards long standing 2 ft. 6 ins. over the existing Railway Base 6 ins. wide with Round or diminished Cupping 4 ins. high projecting 1 inch each side of wall, also for supplying 12 Iron gates (3x2½') with fittings.
No 2 Field gates size 4'9" x 4'.

William Mc Donnell.	£49-14-0.
Martin Dine.	£44-0-0.
Laurence Burke	44-0-0.

On the proposition of Mr. Cahill, seconded by Mr. Connors, it was decided to accept the Tender of Mr. Laurence Burke at £44-3.

It was proposed by Mr. Dynes seconded by Mr. Connors that a Resolution be forwarded to the S. G. Dept drawing the Minister's attention to the seriousness of appointing an unqualified candidate as Caretaker of the Loughrea Water-Works.
"Passed Unanimously:-"

An Emergency Order was made that a new door be erected to entrance at Bridwell cost not to exceed 45/.

Minutes of proceedings of special
meeting of the Langhrea Town

Commissioners held on May 1st 1935.

Read Report from Dr. B. V. Berne,
C. M. U. H. dated 24th April 1935,
which stated that he, accompanied
by Mr. Lee B. Sumner, and Dr. Dunham
Local M. U. H., inspected 14 houses
on the town and that in his
opinion these houses are unfit for
human habitation, owing to
insufficient air light and space &
the absence of proper ventilation.

Mr. Lee B. Sumner, also submitted
a lengthy report and map of
about 14 houses and he commended
to have them condemned.

The Board after some discussion on
the Housing (Miscellaneous Provisions)
Act, 1931, made an order
that was proposed by Mr. Rynes

Seconded by Mr. Rynes, that all
the hand-loads and amounts of
the fourteen houses referred to in
the reports together with Dr. Rynes
Salutation, he requested to attend
a meeting to be held at 8 p.m.,
on the 6th inst. to consider the
advisability of making a Slum
Clearance Order -

passed unanimously

J Cahill 6.5.35

Minutes of proceedings of Monthly meeting
of the Loughrea Town Commissioners held
on Monday May 6th 1935.

In the Chair - Mr. P. Cahill (Chairman)

Members present - Messrs M. Ryan
P. Coy, P. Mullan, M. V. Regan, Mr. Flynn,
R. Carty, J. Conry, M. Ward, J. Connaire
C. Coughlan.

Minutes of last meetings were read.
Confirmed and signed.

Submitted three applications for the
position of Rent Collector for Artisan's
Dwellings viz:-

Miss Carmell Hynes, Dunkellin Street, Lrea.
John Joe Gurky, Main Street, "
P. J. Finnegan, Dunkellin Street, "

Mr. M. Flynn proposed Miss C. Hynes.
Mr. P. Mullan seconded.

Mr. Carty proposed P. J. Finnegan.
Mr. Regan seconded.

Mr. J. Gurky was not proposed.

On a show of hands the voting for
Miss Hynes and Mr. Finnegan was
~~was~~ 5 for Mr. Finnegan,
6 for Miss Hynes.

The Chairman ~~declared his casting vote in~~
~~favor~~ of Miss Hynes who was elected
Rent Collector.

Submitted Clerk of Works Report which stated
"it would take another month to complete
the Houses on the Consent site, and that
the Contractor did not appear to be in
any hurry to complete the Athenry
Road scheme."

Mr. J. Conry proposed and Mr. M. Ryan
seconded that -
"The Contractor (Messrs J. V. Higgins & Co.)
be held liable for the Rent of the "Consent
site" Houses from the date of the expiration
of the Contract till the Houses are completed
the Contractor also to be held liable
for Clerk of Works Fee for same period."

passed unanimously.

Mr. Cuy moved in accordance with notice "that there be no 'snap' division ~~of~~ by the Board on co-optations of members to Town Commissioners Board that the both parties stand as they were elected on & after June 1934."

After some discussion on the matter Mr. Cuy withdrew his motion.

The adoption of the Acquisition of Land (allotments) (Amendment) Act, 1934, was adjourned for 12 months. On Mr. Ward's proposition, seconded by Mr. Mullan.

It was proposed by Mr. M. Ward seconded by Mr. J. Connaire - "that the terms of Mr. P. J. Finnegans appointment as Town Steward be adjourned for consideration for six months." passed unanimously - 5/0
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Submitted ~~four~~ ^{eight} applications for the four new houses erected at the corner site viz:

Yarda P. Staunton, Langhrea.

Sergeant P. O. Hannagan, C. G. Langhrea.

John M^o Namara, Kelly's Street.

Patrick J. Fahy, Moore Street.

H. M. Kieley, Main Street X

Christopher M^o Namee, Bride Street.

James M. Cuyler, Langhrea.

John Jurey, Cosmona.

The Board decided to select tenants by a ballot vote - the following were declared tenants for the 4 houses.

- No 1 House (facing lake.) H. M. Kieley, +
- No 2 " Mr. P. J. Fahy
- No 3 " Christopher M^o Namee,
- No 4 " Garda Staunton.

X At the weekly rate of 8/6 Exclusive of Rates -

John Steward submitted Bills for payment for 84 Tons unbroken stones (Aishin Coale, @ 1/6 per Ton = £6-6-0.

18 Tons unbroken stones, Christy MacNamee @ 2/6 per Ton delivered £2-5-0.

Order - "pay"

Submitted Bill for £20 for 5 weeks from 30th March 1935 to 4th May 1935 @ £4 per week as Clerk of Works on the Convent site and Athney Road Schemes.

Order - "pay"

Submitted Bill signed M. Keller for supplying fitting new door to entrance at Bridwell. as per agreement £2-5-0.

Order - "pay"

An Order was made to pay Mr. Stan Hayes £2-2-8 being Commission on Rent collected & lodged, @ 5%.

Submitted Rent Collector's Report which was approved.

Submitted Engineer's Certificate for £340 being the final instalment on Messrs J. O. Reynolds's Contract in connection with the Convent site scheme -

Order - "pay"

Certificate for £500 was also submitted in connection with the Athney Road scheme -

Order - "pay"

Clerk was instructed to make application for the final instalment on the Convent site loan, and the 2nd instalment of £1,000 on the Athney Road loan.

John Steward was instructed to attend to the necessary repairs required in the Bridwell premises.

The pay sheets for the Housing Aps
and General A/c were
signed by the Chairman and
two members of the Board all
payments were entered therein.

J. Cahill 3.6.35

Minutes of special meeting of
the Sanitary & Drainage Commissioners
held on Monday 6th May 1935.

In the Chair - Mr. J. Cahill, Chairman,
Messrs. J. Mayhew, M. Regan, M. Hayes,
G. Coughlan, J. Coyne, P. Coyne, M. Ward,
L. Coyle, M. Flynn, and J. Connors.

Also in attendance were Mr. A. D. Cyprian
Solicitor, and the tenants
& owners of houses mentioned in
the Co. M. O. H.'s Report.

Submitted report from the Co. M. O. H.
and Mr. Sec. Co. Surveyor which
states that the under mentioned houses
were unfit for human habitation.

Michael Barrett ✓ Cahorsans.
Julia Toole
Mr. Moran ✓ Abbey Street.
Rose Cavanagh " "
Thomas Finnegan " "
Mrs. M. Kearns " "
Mr. Langhams ✓ DunKella Street.

E. Burke. Dunkellin Street ✓
 Mr. Kean (Maylan-) Calvery Lane ✓
 Wm. Fahy, " " ✓
 Peter Banes, Galway Road ✓
 Patrick Fallon " " ✓

The Report recommends that new
 houses be built on the sites of
 Peter Banes & Patrick Fallon

The Board on Mr. Cymms' suggestion
 unanimously decided that the
 matter be adjourned for a further
 report from Mr. Lee, Co. Surveyor.
 The Chairman and Mr. Regan, who
 were deputed to visit the condemned
 houses mentioned in the Reports.

Order "Adjourn for a further Report
 on the matter"

P. Cahill 3.6.35

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Minutes of proceedings of Annual
 Meeting of the Sanphrea Law
 Commissioners held on 24th June 1935.

In the Chair - Mr. P. Cahill, (Chairman)

Members present. Messrs M. Hynes,
 P. Maylan, J. Conroy, J. Funn,
 M. Ward.

Clerk Read Circular notifying the members
 meeting which was assembled for the
 purpose of electing Chairman for
 the ensuing year.

Mr. M. Ward proposed and Mr. M. Hynes
 seconded that Mr. P. Cahill be
 Re-Elected Chairman for the ensuing
 year.

Mr. Cahill ^{who} was unanimously elected,
 thanked the members of the Board in
 suitable terms.

Minutes of proceedings of Monthly meeting of the Loughrea Town Commissioners held on Monday the 3rd day of June 1935-

In the Chair - Mr. P. Cahill. (Chairman)

Members present - Messrs M. Kynes, C. Coughlan, P. Maylan, Mr. Flynn, Mr. Ward, and J. Connaire.

Minutes of last meeting were confirmed and signed.

Submitted Clerk of Works Report on the No 3 and No 4 Housing Schemes - dated 3rd June 1935 - which was approved.

Mr. Ward proposed and Mr. Kynes seconded - "That the Engineer be requested to give his attention to the workmanship of the No 3 Scheme as the Board are not satisfied with how the work is being carried out"

"passed unanimously"

An Order was also made to draw the attention of the Clerk of Works and the Contractor to the workmanship of the No 3 Scheme -

Town Steward was instructed to have the Chimney in Mrs. Price's apartments cleaned and repaired.

Submitted Rent Collector's Report dated 3rd June 1935, which stated the Rents of "Abbey Terrace" Houses have been paid up to the 24th May 1935 -

The Report was approved.

Submitted sanction, dated 18/5/35 Ref. No G. 78488/35, for increase in Town Clerk's salary, from £35 to £45 per annum -

Order - "Approved"

Submitted Town Steward's Report which stated he procured grazing for the Horse at 8/- per month -

Order "Approved."

The fencing of the Lulla hill field, the graveling of the walks and the setting of the dumping ground field were referred to the Town Steward and the "General Purpose" Committee.

It was proposed by Mr. Maylan, seconded by Mr. Hynes & passed "that £6-18-8 Interest on No 3 Housing Scheme and £3-8-1 on No H A/c, be paid the Hibernian Bank on recent overdrafts of £1,500-

Order - "pay."

An Order was made to pay Lawrence Burke £10 on contract for wall at "Abbey Terrace" Houses - as certified by Clerk of Works.

An Order was made to pay £15-4-0 for timber stones.

Clerk reported that the official Arbitrator (Mr. MacCauley) held the Inquiry on the 29th May 35 & that the report on same had been furnished.

Clerk was instructed to pay Messrs J. W. Higgins & Co. when Engineers' Certificates for payment were presented.

Clerk of Works submitted Bill for 4 weeks pay ended 1st June - 1935 Am. £10-

Order - "pay."

Read letter from the Dep't of Defence dated 24/5/35 informing the Board that £5 was paid to Mr. H. Smyth Earls Park for a Bicycle taken in 1922.

The pay sheets for Nos. 2, 3, H and the General A/c's were signed by the Chairman & two members of the Board all payments were entered therein.
J. Cahill 1. 8. 35

Minutes of proceedings of Monthly meeting of the Traughwa Town Commissioners held on Monday the 1st day of July 1935,

In the Chair - Mr. P. Cahill,

Members present - Messrs Mr. Dynes, P. Maylan, M. J. Regan, P. Coy, J. Corry, J. Connaire,

Minutes of last meetings were read confirmed and signed -

Submitted report from Mr. Lee - Co. Surveyor, re Clearance Order dated 24th June 1935 - which stated that none of the 14 Houses reported on could with reasonable expense be made fit for human habitation.

Read letter from the Dept. dated 20th ultimo - stating that the Board should proceed under Section 23 of the (Miscellaneous) provisions

Act 1931. Re Clearance Order.

Read correspondence from Mr. Cuymer & Co. stating that if the Board proceed under Section 23 of the Housing Act 1931, the people in the Houses will have to be evicted and the question will arise what Houses are these people to be put into?

Under "Refer the question of the Clearance Order" to the Board's Legal Advisor, and act on his instructions."

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Read letter dated 21/6/35 Ref. No H.84174/35: L. G. Dept. re appointment of Rent Collector of Artizan's Dwellings stating that the Minister "does not consider that a new appointment should be made and he recommends that the work should be entrusted to Mr. P. J. Sminegan, Rate Collector, at remuneration of 2 1/2 %."

The Board unanimously decided in referring the matter to Mr. A. W. Clayton R.E. for his advice thereon.

Submitted application signed M. J. Fahy and C. J. McNamee, (Landlords of the Cement site Houses), for an entrance to these houses from the Rear.

Read letter from Mr. Lee, C. Surveyor, which stated that on the suggestion of the Department's Inspector he had cut out the Road at the back of the Houses.

Order "Request Engineer to have a wheel-gate erected on Monaghan's Lane for an entrance to the Rear of the four houses".

"passed unanimously."

An Order was also made to inform Mr. Lee that the Board are well satisfied with the good job

done on the four Houses - it was decided to suggest to Engineer the advisability of erecting a 6 ft. concrete wall at the back of the Houses to cut them off from public view.

Submitted Clerk of Works Reports dated 1st July 1935 which were approved -

An Order was made to pay Clerk of Works to week's pay for 29th June 1935. Pmt. £16 -

Submitted application from Lawrence Burk Contractor, (for wall, etc., at "Abbey Terrace House") for Balance due on Contract, Certificate signed by Clerk of Works that the Contract was completed, was also submitted.

Order - "pay" and Refer the question of extras to Mr. Lee, Engineer.

Mr. Finnegan, Town Steward, reported that Mr. V. Keefe, Assistant Co. Surveyor, instructed him to have Roads Bordered etc.

The gravelling of the walks and employing of men for extra work on the Roads was referred to the Town Steward and the General purposes Committee.

Town Steward submitted a Report re Bridewell Chimney, which stated that the approximate cost of erecting a concrete chimney and scrapping the existing one would be about £10.

Order "Advertise for Tenders specification to be submitted by Clerk of Works."

Submitted Rent Collection (Mr. S. Hynes) Report which stated the Rents of "Wiley Terrace" houses were in a

satisfactory state.

"Report was approved"

Submitted Bill for £1-3-9, being Commission @ 5% on £23-15-0 - Rents collected and lodged.

Order "pay" - proposed by Mr. Conry seconded by Mr. Connaire and passed.

Submitted application from Henry Sweeney Tenant in Bridewell, for Mrs. Price's apartments in exchange for his own.

Order "Mark Road"

Submitted two applications signed Tom Payer, Yahway Road and J. Shaugnessy, Bride Street for apartments vacated in the Bridewell by Mrs. Price.

It was proposed by Mr. Conry, seconded by Mr. Hynes, that J. Shaugnessy ~~be~~ be made Tenant of the apartments in the Bridewell, and Tom Payer

get first consideration when next vacancy occurs.

It was proposed by Mr. J. Connair seconded by Mr. P. Coy and passed that the following payments be made -
General A/c -

James Robinson -	£1-15-0.	Repairs to Carb.
Water Rent Collector -	10-0-	Water Rent.
Messrs Mullards Ltd.	4-15-6.	printing etc..
Sand Contractor -	0-14-0.	Sand.
Town Steward -	4-12-8.	Salary 1 mt.
Town Clerk -	3-15-0.	Salary 1 mt.

No 2 A/c.

Office of Public Works -	10%	Interest.
Mr. L. Byles B.C. -	£1-3-9.	Commission -
Mr. L. Burke -	34-0-0	Contract of wall.

No 4 A/c -

Mr. Sweeney	£16-0-0	Clerk of Works.
Messrs O'Keefe's	?	Contractor.

No 2 A/c

No 3 A/c.

Messrs. O'Keefe's amounts to be filled in Treasurer's Advice note when certified.

Subsequently a meeting of the General Purposes Committee was held consisting of Messrs P. Cahill, P. Coy and Mr. Bynes.

In the Chair - Mr. P. Cahill.

It was decided to have the "Fullew-Hill" Field fenced. Two extra men to be employed, stakes wire etc. to be provided from Contractor. The dumping ground field to be let for grazing purposes, and it also to be fenced.

It was decided to proceed with the Bordering of the Roads. Men who were not working at the concreting of footpaths to be employed.

The gravelling of walks to be proceeded with by the 3 permanent men.

Minutes of proceedings of special meeting
of the Keshmoo Lawn Commissioners
held on Friday 12th July 1935.

In the Chair - Mr. P. Cahill (Chairman)

Members present - Messrs J. Conn, M. V. Regan,
Mr. Kynes, P. Maylan, C. Cunningham,
Mr. Ward, J. Finn and J. Connair.

The Chairman (Mr. Cahill) reported that
since previous meeting of the Board
the General Purposes Committee

(Chairman, Mr. M. Kynes and Mr. P. Coy)
held a meeting and decided that the
repairs to the fence on field occupied
by Mr. S. Marmion, be carried out.

On instructions he (Chairman) employed
two men for three days.

On Saturday evening (July 6th 1935)
he met Mr. Finnegan, Lawn Steward, and
instructed him to have the men &
employed in repairing the fence paid.

The Lawn Steward absolutely refused
to do so. At the meeting of the
General Purposes Committee we decided
to employ certain men whom we

whom we considered in need of work.
The Lawn Steward took no instructions
from the Committee. He actually employs
any man he likes without even
consulting a member of the Committee
and I consider his action is not in
keeping with his position. The County
Surveyor pointed out to the Board
some time ago that the Lawn Steward
was not doing his duty, and his
laxity in complying with the orders
of the Board prompted us to appoint
the General Purposes Committee.
I ask the Board to give this matter
its earnest attention."

Signed P. Cahill.
Dated 12th July 1935.

After a lengthy discussion on the
Report Mr. M. Kynes proposed -
"That the Lawn Steward offer an
apology to the Chairman, if he
refused to apologise, he to be
suspended for one month dating from
the 13th inst."

Seconded by the Chairman.
Mr. V. Regan proposed as an
amendment "that the proposer be
not considered until such time as

the Town Stewards duties are defined."

Mr. Connors seconded.

For the Amendment - Messrs O'Regan,
Connors, and Coughlan. - 3

Against - Messrs Ward, Finn, Rynes,
Moylan, Connors and the Chairman. - 6.

The Chairman having declared the
~~an~~ amendment defeated then put the
original motion which was passed
by six votes against three.

On the Chairman's proposition
seconded by Mr. Ward the Board
decided to put on agenda for
consideration at next monthly meeting
the appointment of a working foreman
wages to be $2\frac{1}{2}$ per week more than
the casual men.

Messrs O'Regan, Coughlan and Connors
deserting.

On Mr. Rynes proposition seconded
by Mr. Moylan the Board decided
with Messrs O'Regan, Coughlan and

and Connors deserting that Mr.
Ryan (Permanent Kabaner) be
appointed Temporary Foreman, the
Chairman to fill the pay sheets
and certify Road men's wages.
J. Cahill 8.8.75

Minutes of proceedings of special meeting of Clearance Area held on Monday the 29th July 1935.

In the Chair - Mrs. M. O'Regan,
(Acting Chairman)

Members Present Messrs J. Conry,
P. Day, P. Maylan, J. Connors
and M. Ward.

Read letter from Mr. A. D. Cymon L.L.D. stating it was necessary to select the nine worst houses out of fourteen ordered to be demolished.

The Board unanimously agreed that Demolition Orders be served on the occupiers and owners of the following nine houses under Section 23 of the Housing Acts 1931.

Messrs - Casey, Monaghan, Barrett, Toole,
Moran, Kavanagh, Kearns, Haighnam
and Burke.

Clerk was instructed to notify Mr.

Cymon of said Order -
P. Cahill 5.8.35

Minutes of proceedings of Monthly Meeting
of the Loughrea Town Commissioners
held on Monday 5th day of August 1935

In the Chair - Mr. P. Cahill, (Chairman)

Members present were Messrs Mr. Hynes,
P. Coy, C. Loughran, J. Coffey, J. Connors,
P. Maylan, Mr. Ward and R. Carthy.

Minutes of last Monthly Meeting and two
Special Meetings were read confirmed
and signed -

Read letter dated 29th July 1935 L. G. Dept.
Ref. No. G. 118416/35 Regarding the
suspension of Town Steward - stating
"that the determination of the suspension
imposed is now a matter for the Minister"
Order "Noted"

Clerk was instructed to furnish to the
Dept. L. G. copy of any resolutions re
appointments of casual workmen.

It was proposed by Mr. M. Ward, J. C.
Seconded by Mr. J. Coffey and passed -
that "pending the Minister's decision
in the determination of the suspension
imposed on Mr. Linnegan, no steps be
taken by the Board towards the perma-
nent filling of the position and that
all applications for the position of
"Working Foreman" be adjourned until
such decision was arrived at."

"Passed Unanimously"

Clerk reported that she forwarded copy
of Mr. Quinn's letter re appointment
of Rent Collector to the Minister.

Order "Approved"

The Tenders of Messrs Thos. O' Higgins & Co.
Galway, for the erection of a wall at
"Convent site" at £36 - less £15 for
Repairs to old wall was accepted -
on the proposition of Mr. R. Carthy,
Seconded by Mr. P. Coy.

Orders for grazing of the ^{field} Dumping Ground, were not considered as the Board decided in reserving the field for their own Horse.

A Bill submitted by Mr. John Realy, Sand Contractor, was passed for payment and certified to be correct by the General Purposes Committee.

A Resolution from Youghal Urban Council ~~was~~ protesting against "the barbarous treatment meted out to our fellow Catholics Country men in the north" was unani- mously adopted on the proposition of Mr. Cahill seconded by Mr. Ward.

It was proposed by Mr. Dynes, seconded by Mr. Cuff, to pay Insurance premium £5-13-9 on Roadmen's and Janitor's Bonds, and 14/6 on Clerk's Bond. (Renewal date being 26th July 1935.)

Clerk was instructed to submit quotations at next meeting for the Insurance of the Board's Horse.

Submitted Estimate and specification signed Clerk of Works for the erection of a Chimney shaft at the Bridwell.

Order - "Advise and Consider Orders at next monthly meeting."

Submitted Clerk of Works Report on the Athlone and Cornhill site Housing Schemes which were approved. (dated 5th Aug. 1935.)

Submitted Bill for grazing of Horse signed Bridger Realy, 2 months @ 8^s per month.

It was proposed by Mr. Connaire, seconded by Mr. Maynard to pay 16/ for grazing of Horse.

Submitted certificate signed Mr. Lee,
 Engineer, for payment of £500
 on the Athenny Road Scheme leaving
 Balance Undis charged of £600-19-3
 to Messrs O'Keefe & Co. Contractors.

On the proposition of Mr. Carty, seconded
 by Mr. Condon it was ordered to
 be paid

Submitted bill from Clerk of Works for
 £18-

Order - "pay"

The pay sheet was signed by the
 Chairman and two members of the
 Board all payments entered therein.

P. Cahill 1.9.35

Minutes of proceedings of special meeting of the Loughrea Town Commissioners held on Friday the 23rd August 1935.

In the Chair - Mr. P. Cahill (Chairman)

Members present - Messrs M. Dynes, P. Cury, M. D. Regan, J. Curry, C. Coughlan, P. Mullan, L. Earty, M. Ward, and J. Connaire.

In Attendance - Dr. A. W. Cuymer, Solicitor.

Also present - The Occupiers of the nine Condemned Houses.

After reading letter dated the 19th inst. ~~sent~~ from Dr. A. W. Cuymer, Solicitor, stating the question of Demolition Orders would be considered on the 23rd inst.

After a lengthy discussion relative to the Rents to be charged for the nine Houses being erected at Athlery Road the Board on the Solicitor's advice unanimously decided in affirming the question of Demolition Orders, until such time as the All-in Cost of the nine houses in Athlery Road was gone into and the figures showing the proposed Rents to be charged for said Houses were submitted to the L. G. Dept. for the Minister's sanction.

"Passed Unanimously"

Read letter dated 15/8/35, Ref. No. G. 131173/35 Re the suspension of Mr. Timoney and drawing attention to letter dated 6th Sept. 34 Ref. No. 4.5852.4/31. Clerk was instructed (in the proposition of Mr. Ward, seconded by Mr. Curry) to reply to said letter and state that Mr. Timoney is not responsible for the paying of the Roadmen's wages as all payments in connection with Road Contracts are made by the Commissioners." P. Cahill 1.9.35

Minutes of proceedings of Monthly Meetings of the Loughrea Town Commissioners held on Monday 2nd day of September 1935.

In the Chair - Mr. P. Cahill, (Chairman)

Members present were - Messrs Mr. Byrne
P. Coy. J. Conroy, P. Mayhew, L. Carty
J. Connolly and Mr. Ward.

Minutes of last meetings were read, confirmed and signed.

Submitted Clerk of Works Report on the Athenry Road Housing Scheme which stated -

"The nine houses on the Athenry Road are still a long way off being finished. For the past fortnight progress with the work was remarkably slow for want of material. Six of the tradesmen were let off on Saturday week and though the material arrived since the men were not taken back to work. So far the Contractor has not the wall started at the back of the Convent site Houses. I referred the matter to the Engineer."

An Order was made to "forward copy of Clerk of Works Report to the Engineer for his attention."

Two Tenders were submitted for the erection of a new Chimney shaft at the Biddwell. Clerk reported that one of the Tenders was received two hours late according to the specified time on the advertisement.

The Board decided in not considering the Tender that was not submitted within the specified time.

The Tender of Mr. Willie By. was then accepted at £12 - (Twelve pounds), sureties names to be submitted by 12 noon on the 3rd inst.

Rent Collector reported that the Rent Collection was in a satisfactory condition.

Report was approved of.

Read letter signed Dr. M. J. Dunne, M.D. recommending the Gately family for one of the new houses being erected at Athenry Road.

Order "Mark Read" as there was no mention of the Gately house being condemned on the County M. V. D's Report."

Submitted Report from the General
purposes Committee dated the 2nd Sept.
1935 which was unanimously
Approved.

Read letter from the Minister of Defence
Requesting payment of £3. for
Expenses incurred by the
Tire Brigade.

Clerk was instructed to Reply to said
demand & state "that the Board
have no authority to Mr. Emmigan
to summon the Brigade."

x After discussing the question of a Tire
Brigade for the town the Board
decided to send a Deputation consisting
of Messrs Mr. O'Regan, Mr. Nynes &
P. Coy to next meeting of C. Domes
Committee with a view to discussing
the question of providing a Tire Engine
for the town.

Messrs P. Cahill, and C. Coughlan
were deputed as being the responsible
persons for requesting the attendance

of a Tire Brigade.

Submitted application for a Licence to
store petrol signed James Kelly, Dunkellin
Street.

Order "Issue Licence when plan of proposed
storage is submitted."

Submitted application to have Refuse removed
from front of house twice weekly -
signed Patrick Barrett, Barnack Street.

An Order was made on the proposition
of Mr. Ward seconded by Mr. Nynes,
to that the Refuse be removed from
front of premises that had not a
Rear entrance, once weekly.

Submitted Deputation for the Insurance
of the Board's House.

It was proposed by Mr. Nynes, seconded
by Mr. Ward that the House be not
Insured -
"Passed Unanimously"

Clerk reported that there was £90-
Sawn Rates collected and lodged.

Order - "proceed with collection"

An Order was made to pay Clerk of
Works £16- on the Athlone Road
Scheme.

An Order was also made to pay £1-1-4
to Sand Contractor, when certified
to be correct by Foreman.

The Treasurer's Advice Sheet was signed
by the Chairman & two members of
the Board, all payments interest
therein including £3d to Clerk
for Contingencies.

Meeting summoned of the General
purpose Committee on the 10th Sept. 1935
to consider letter received from
the Residents of Lake View Re
Confining Cattle to the fair green.

No Business was transacted as the
Chairman was the only member
present, ~~and~~ the matter was adjourned
to next monthly meeting.

Summoned a meeting of the General
purpose Committee for the 26th Sept. 1935.
Re House at Cornub View to be vacated
on the 24th Sept. 1935; notice of which
was given to the Chairman on the
20th September 1935.

As the Chairman was the only member
present no Business was transacted.
The Chairman and Mr. Dines being
members of the Committee gave
instructions to Clerk to advertise
for Tenants applications to be
considered at meeting to be held
on the 4th Oct. 1935.

Minutes of proceedings of special meeting of the Langhorne Sanction Commissioners held on the 24th Sept. 1935. Re Demolition Orders.

Members present - Messrs. Mr. Rynes, P. J. Carty, P. Maylan, L. Carty and J. Connors. Mr. Rynes L.H. Solicitor, and the tenants of the condemned house were also present.

In the Chair - Mr. L. Carty. (Act. Chairman)

Clerk reported that a letter was received from the H. Y. Dept. agreeing to the change of 2/9 per week (exclusive of Rates) for the nine houses being erected at Athony Road, and requesting to be furnished with a certified statement that the houses are being let to persons transferred from condemned houses, and that the signing of the tenants Bonds is a matter for the Commissioners.

On Mr. Carty's proposition seconded by Mr. Carty, it was decided to make application to the Housing Dept. for permission to let the nine houses at a rent of 2/6 per week exclusive of Rates, as some of the tenants were very poor & unable to pay 2/9 per week.

It was also decided that the proposed by Mr. Carty seconded by Mr. Carty that the Kelly family's house, that was condemned by Mr. Connors, M. U. he included in the list of the nine condemned houses instead of Edward (Kelly) Burke, deceased.

Read letter signed Mr. Maurice Sweeney, stating that it is proposed to either re-construct or demolish these houses in Abbey St. owned by the Misses Doyherty.

At this stage Mr. Rynes left the meeting and no further business was transacted, as there was no quorum.

Mr. Rynes informed the remaining

Members then he would draft
a letter to be forwarded to
the Housing Dept. Re Rents.

Further consideration of the matter was
adjourned to next meeting 4th Dec. 35

Minutes of Proceedings of Monthly Meeting of the Housing Board Commissioners held on the 4th day of October 1935-

In the Chair - Mr. P. Cahill.

Members present - Messrs M. Ryan, M. O'Regan, P. Maylan, W. Carty, J. Conry, P. Cury, M. Flynn, C. Cunningham, J. J. Connors, M. Ward.

Dr. Cuymer, L.L.D. Solicitor. It was also in attendance.

Minutes of last meeting were read, confirmed and signed.

X Read letter from the L. G. Dept. dated 5th Oct. 35¹⁹ Ref. No. H. 158448/35 stating that the Minister would be prepared to sanction a Rent of 2/6 per week for the nine houses at Albany Road.

Mr. Flynn proposed "that a Rent of 2/9 per week, exclusive of Rates, be fixed as sanctioned by the Minister Sept. 1935".

Seconded by Mr. Ryan & passed unanimously.

Dr. A. D. Cuymer, L.L.D. explained to the meeting that it was necessary to have the Demolition Orders made in respect of the nine condemned houses.

It was proposed by Mr. J. Conry, seconded by Mr. M. Flynn that the necessary Demolition Orders be made under Section 23 of the Housing Act 1931.

Dr. Cuymer submitted bill of costs amt. to £318-16-3 dating from 19th June 1933 to 16th Sept. 1935.

As there was £300 already advanced to Dr. Cuymer in June 1934. It was proposed by the Chairman, seconded by Mr. W. Carty that a further payment of £100 be made to Dr. Cuymer re Housing Expenditure. "passed unanimously".

Submitted application signed by the Residents of Lake View requesting the Board to make an order confining cattle to the Fair Green.

The Board refused to interfere with the cattle on Fair Days.

The General purposes Committee submitted

their Report dated 4th Dec. 1935, which was unanimously approved -

Submitted Mr. M. J. O'Keefe's A.C.S. Report dated 18/9/35 requesting the Board to have all defects on the "Approach Roads" and Bullam Roads remedied.

It was proposed by Mr. O'Regan, seconded by Mr. M. Ward that the two names be

be steam rolled and that the Hill Road and Mason Brook Roads be bordered & tarred during the coming month.

Passed Unanimously -

Clerk was instructed to apply for the Stone crusher & Steam Roller to the Co. Council.

Submitted Clerk of Works Report dated 4th Dec. 35 which stated that "Mr. O'Regan, N. J. Inspector & Mr. Lee, Engineer visited on the 13th Sept. 1935 the Athney Road scheme and were well satisfied with the work but disappointed to see they were so far off being completed."

Submitted Mr. Lee's Report dated 4th Dec. 1935 which stated "that a block of 5 of the Athney Road houses would be complete the end of this week and the remaining 4 the week after"

He also submitted certificate for £350 being full amt. of contract for Messrs J. O'Regan's & Co. less retention money and extras -

It was proposed by Mr. M. Ward seconded by Mr. M. Ryan that the Board's solicitor, W. A. W. Cunn, R.N.D. be notified to take the necessary steps to have the Contractor Messrs J. O'Regan's & Co. fulfil, comply with the terms of his contract for the nine houses being erected at Athney Road and that said Contractor be held liable for the Clerk of Works pay and Rent of houses in not having contract completed within the specified time.

"Passed Unanimously."

Report re Fire Engine was adjourned to next meeting -

Submitted Quotation for public lighting
period ending 31/3/36 at a charge
of £145-2-13, which was accepted.

Submitted four applications for vacant
pouse at Convent site - viz -

James Mac Laughlin, J. Walsh, J.M. Cagle
and Sergeant Gossey -

James Mac Laughlin was declared the
successful applicant by a ballot vote
as follows -

Mac Laughlin - 4
Walsh - 4
Cagle and Gossey being eliminated in
the first count -

Clerk was instructed to get Dr. Cym. Salator
necessary to be signed by 2 Suburb
streetes -

Submitted (Miss A. Ryan's) Rent Collector's
report which stated that the collector
was in a satisfactory state -

Report was approved and an order
made to pay £1-9-10 Commission @ 2 1/2%

Clerk was instructed to forward copy
of Mr. Robert Reynolds' Complaint
Re Repairs to No 9 Abbey Terrace
to Engineer -

The following payments were ordered
on the proposal of Mr. Ward
Secord by Mr. Cagle

- £350 on Athenry Road Scheme Messrs O'Donnell's
- £50 " Convent site " "
- £20 Clerk of Works
- £8 by Mr. Cagle Brudenell Chimney
- £5 on Birkley Extras Culbrazel Lane Scheme
- £24 - Engineer's Fee Convent site
- £54 - Engineer's Fee on Athenry Road Contract,
to be retained pending completion of contract -
- £50 to Clerk for contingencies -

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"had to be filled in and dalled. This work had to be done by order of the Engineer. We had also Kelly's home steam dalled and intended to have similar work carried out in King's Entry but found that material available was exhausted on Kelly's Street. We have had from nine to twelve men employed extra and gave preference to men who were not employed on the building schemes, laying of concrete paths, cleaning of drains or other works not under our control.

We employed three horses and carts drawing stones to Kelly's Street and Athlone Road and have obtained the use of one horse and cart for cleaning off refuse from the Athlone Road." Signed P. Cahill and M. Ryan.

Thomas Finnegan, "Abbey Terrace" applied for the loan of one of the new houses at Athlone Road, which was granted.

Clerk was instructed to advertise for applicants for Mr. Finnegan's house at "Abbey Terrace".

Read letter from the Minister L. G. Dept. inquiring if the Board had acted on his Recommendations contained in letter dated 21st June last Re appointment of Rent Collector?

The Clerk was instructed to request the Minister's sanction for the appointment of Miss C. Hynes, as Collector, and Request a Reply to Mr. Ryan's letter of June last.

Read letter from the Minister of Defence requesting payment of £3 being expenses incurred by the Athlone military fire fighting section on June 28th 1934.

Clerk was instructed to request the Minister for Defence to make application to Mr. Finnegan for payment of expenses as the Board gave no authority to call the Brigade.

Clerk reported that there was £15 deducted from the Road money for quarter ended 30th September 1935 - £142-4-6 and received. No order made.

Mr. Coy brought under the notice of the Board that there was a large quantity of rubbish thrown by the 'hale side' An Order was made to have it removed -

Clerk brought under the notice of the Board the Department's circular letter of May 24th 1934 Re default in the payment of Rates by members of Rating authorities -

Read letter from Mr. Cupman J.C. stating that Rev. Mother Convent of Mercy, and Mr. Edward Kelly, Winkellin, sh. were willing to give an undertaking not to pull the condemned houses if they were not demolished.

Order - "Reply and state that the houses must be demolished before the subsidy of $66\frac{2}{3}\%$ will be paid."

After a lengthy discussion Re the

establishment of a factory in the town, Mr. P. Coy was deputed to interview the Secretary of the Industrial Committee with a view to calling a public meeting to discuss the matter -

"passed unanimously"

On Mr. Ward's proposition seconded by the Chairman the Board voted sympathy to Dr. P. R. Keary, Woodford and on the loss sustained by the death of Mrs. Keary.

"passed in silence"

Submitted Clerk of Work's Report Re Housing Schemes dated 11/11/35 which were approved.

The pay sheets were signed by the Chairman and two members of the Board & all payments entered therein.
P. Cahill 22. 11. 35

Minutes of Proceedings of Special Meeting of the Loughrea Town Commissioners - held on Tuesday November 5th 1935-

In the Chair - Mr. P. Cahill, Chairman.

Members present - Messrs P. Maylan, M. Flynn P. Coy, Mr. Dynes, J. Connors and subsequently Mr. Ward.

Read letter dated 4th Nov. 1935 received from the Minister of L. Department as follows -

"I am directed by the Minister for L. & D. to state that pursuant to Section 11 of the Local Authorities Act 1926 he hereby terminates the suspension imposed by the Loughrea Town Commissioners on Mr. P. J. Finnegan at their meeting held on July 11th 1935 and directs his reinstatement in all offices from which he was suspended. The Minister further directs that the remuneration which Mr. Finnegan

would have received during the period of his suspension if he had not been suspended, be paid to him forthwith."

Clerk Read Section 11 of the Local Authorities' (Officers & Employees) Act 1926-

At this stage Mr. Ward left the Boardroom stating the members did not get statutory notice to attend the meeting.

Mr. Dynes proposed that "consideration of the letter be adjourned to monthly meeting to be held on the 2nd Dec. 1935"

Mr. Maylan seconded the proposition which was passed.

The meeting then dissolved,
P. Cahill 22.11.35

Minutes of proceedings of Special Meeting
of the Rathfriland Town Commissioners
held on Friday November 22nd 1935-

In the Chair - Mr. P. Cahill, (presiding)

Members present - Messrs J. Conroy,
P. Coy, Mr. Dynes, C. Connors & P. Maylan.

Minutes of Monthly meeting held on the
4th November 1935 and of Special Meeting
held on the 5th November 1935 were
read confirmed and signed.

Submitted Reports so from the Housing
Department L. G. & P. D., Ref. Nos. B 176/25/35
dated the 8th Nov. 1935 in respect of
the Athlone Road and Cement site Schemes.

Clerk reported that she forwarded copies
of said Reports when received to
Mr. G. Lee, Engineer and to the Clerk
of Works (Mr. B. Sweeney)

Order - "Approved of"

* Read letter from the Housing Department
dated 8th Nov. 1935, stating that no
further payments should be made
to the Housing Contractors until
the defects referred to in Reports
have been fully remedied.

Order - "Noted"

Read letter from the L. G. Dept. Ref. No. 192453/35
dated 15th November 1935
stating that the Minister had formally
reinstated Mr. P. J. Finnegan in his
position as Town Steward and ordered
that he be paid his salary for
the period he was suspended from duty.

Mr. Dynes proposed and Mr. Conroy seconded
that the matter be referred to their
Solicitor for his opinion on the matter
before any further action be taken.

"Passed Unanimously"

Read letter dated 15th Nov. 1935 Ref. 192135/35-
 No. from the N. Y. Dept. ~~injunction~~
 requesting of the Board ~~had to comply~~ with
 the Minister's Request contained in
 his letter of the 21st June 1935.
 Re appointment of Bank Collector.

Mr. M. Rynes proposed & Mr. P.
 Maylan seconded "that the
 matter be adjourned to next
 meeting Dec. 2nd 1935."

Passed Unanimously"

J. Cahill 2. 12. 35

Minutes of proceedings of Monthly meeting of the Lurghea Town Commissioners held on Monday 2nd day of December 1935.

In the Chair - Mr. P. Cahill.

Members present - Messrs M. Hynes, P. Coy. C. Coughlan, P. Maylan, J. Connaire, and Mr. Ward.

Minutes of last meeting were read, confirmed and signed.

Read letter dated 30th November 1935 from W.R. A.D. Quinn L.L.D. Solicitor stating that it was his opinion "the Board must reinstate Mr. Linnegan as the words of the Section referred to are very explicit in favour of the Minister's contention".

After a lengthy discussion on the matter it was proposed by Mr. Mr. Ward, and seconded by the Chairman - "that the Board comply with the Minister's decision as contained in letter dated 15th Nov. 1935.

Ref. No. 192753/35 by paying Mr. Linnegan's salary for the period he was suspended from duty" and "that Mr. Linnegan be reinstated for one month as per terms of the Minister's sanction dated 6th Sept. 1931 Ref. No. G. 58527/31 and that the termination of his services as Town Steward be considered at next monthly meeting."

"passed Unanimously."

Read letter from the Minister R. G. Dept., (which had been adjourned from previous meeting) requesting the Board to act upon his recommendations contained in letter of the 21st June 1935, re appointment of Rent Collector.

It was unanimously decided on the motion of Mr. Ward, seconded by Mr. Maylan, to adjourn consideration of the matter to next monthly meeting.

Two applications were submitted for tenancy of No. 9 House, "Abney Terrace" viz:-

Michael Connally, West Bridge, and
John J. Lury, Cosmona.

Clerk was instructed to readvertise for a
Tenants Applications to be considered
at next monthly meeting.

It was unanimously decided to admit
Tenants on the 6th inst. to the 9 new
X houses erected at Athlery Road, at the
week by Rent of 2/9- (Two Shillings and nine pence)

It was proposed by Mr. Dynes, seconded
by Mr. Ward and passed -
"That a new manhole cover be
procured from the Contractor, Mr. J.
Connan, to replace the one broken
in Kelly's Street."

Submitted Sanitary Notice No 308 dated the
2nd Dec. 1935 - signed W.A. B. V. Beirne,
C. M. V. H. which stated -

"Dr. M. Dunlop reports that the house
occupied by Mrs. Gately and her family
of four is in a terribly dilapidated

and insanitary condition, he recommends
that this family be placed first on
the list for a new cottage as they
are not very robust in health."

It was unanimously decided to adjourn
the matter to next meeting for
consideration.

Submitted Clerk of Works Report on
the Convent site and Athlery Road
Housing Schemes which was approved

~~The~~ Rate Collector (Mrs. P. J. Linnegan)
reported that he had lodged £125-12-1
Law Rates, and expected to close
the collection before next meeting.

It was proposed by Mr. Dynes, seconded
by Mr. Ward "that the collection be
closed before next meeting."

"Passed Unanimously."

It was proposed by Mr. Dynes, seconded by Mr.
Moylan and passed "That £100 be transferred
from the General A/c to the No 2 A/c."

Mr. Finnegan also reported re Bridewell Rent etc. which stated that Messrs Sweeney & Daly were in arrears of Rent. (Daly owed 14 weeks incl of Nov. and Sweeney 12 weeks)

An Order was made to notify the sureties of the amounts due

The Report also stated "that the amount due by late tenant Jas. Christian, is being paid in monthly instalments of 5/- by his sureties, £2-10-0 of amount due was lodged to the credit of the Board."

Order - "Noted"

Submitted Bill for £39-16-8 being for 5 months salary as Town Steward for period 1st July 1935 to 1st Dec. 1935.
Signed P. J. Finnegan

On the motion of Mr. Ward, seconded by the Chairman, an order was made to pay full amount.

Lawrence Conry
13/1/36

Minutes of proceedings of Monthly Meeting of the Rathfriland Town Commission held on Monday 13th January 1936.

In the Chair - Mr. L. Conry.

Members present were Messrs P. Coy, M. Flynn, C. Coughlan, and P. Conaire.

Minutes of last meeting were read, confirmed and signed.

Submitted Three Applications of No. 4 House situate at "Apley Terrace" vacated by Thomas Finnegan - viz: Mr. J. Connolly, John Tully, and Miss W. Mc Guinness, n. p.

On Mr. Coy's proposition, seconded by Mr. M. Flynn, the Board Unanimously accepted Miss Mc Guinness as Tenant for Board to be signed by Mr. Joseph Connolly, Main St. and Mr. W. Mc Guinness, New Inn.

Submitted applications, for the vacant house erected at Athenny Road, from the following -

Messrs: John Joe McLaughan,
Jack Shanaghersey,
Mrs. Gately,
Joseph W. Plinnell,
Michael Fahy.

On Mr. Connaire's proposition Secended by Mr. Coy, the Board Unanimously decides in accepting Mrs. Gately as tenant of the house erected at Athenny Road -

The question of the Resignation of the Town Steward (which was on the Agenda for Consideration) was also discussed.

It was decided on the motion of Mr. M. Flynn, Secended by Mr. P. Coy, that Mr. Finnegan's services be continued until such

time as the Roads are taken over from the Board -

Passed Unanimously -

Clerk Read letter from Clerk requesting one week's leave of absence.

Voted - "granted"

On the motion of Mr. P. Coy, Secended by Mr. S. Connaire the Board's sympathy was extended to Mr. P. Beegan, P.W. on the death of his father.

"Passed in silence"

The remainder of the Business was adjourned to a meeting to be summoned at Clerk's convenience.

J. Cahill 3.2.36

Minutes of Proceedings of Monthly Meeting of the San Gabriel Fair Commissioners held on Monday 3rd day of July, 1936-

In the Chair - Mr. P. Cahill, (Chairman)

Members present - Messrs J. Conroy, P. Coy, Mr. Dynes, C. Coughlan, W. Lynch, J. Connors, and P. Mayhew.

Minutes of last meeting were read, confirmed and signed after some discussion re the legality of last meeting.

Read correspondence from Mr. Cyprian ^(Dated 31/1/36) Solicitor which stated that the Demolition Order - Form 6 - ~~was~~ dated 4th October 1935 provided that the nine condemned houses should be demolished within six weeks after the day on which they were vacated.

It was proposed by Mr. Dynes seconded by Mr. Mayhew that Mr. Cyprian be instructed to proceed with the Demolition Order - Section 26 of the Housing (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1931.

On the proposition of Mr. Dynes seconded by the Chairman the Board Unanimously decided to demand a sworn Inquiry regarding statements made at the County Council meeting held in Galway Regar with reference to the maintenance of the Roads.

Clerk was instructed to get Mr. Cyprian's (Solicitor) advice if the County Council are in power to terminate their Contract for the maintenance of Roads with the Board on the 31st March 1936?

Mr. P. J. Linnegan wrote tendering his Resignation as Town Steward as from February 3rd 1936.

The Board on Mr. Dynes' proposition seconded by Mr. Mayhew Unanimously accepted his Resignation.

It was proposed by Mr. Ward seconded by Mr. Conroy that Mr. Martin Ryan be appointed Foreman for one month at 2/- per week more than his ordinary wages - passed Unanimously.

Clerk was instructed to apply to Mr. Finnegan for all books and papers in his possession ~~regarding~~ his ~~books~~ referring to his position as Town Steward.

Read report from Mr. B. V. Peirce Esq. M.P. referring to the dangerous condition of the house lately occupied by Thomas Finnegan in Abbey St. and requesting to have said house demolished.

The Clerk reported that she wrote Miss Doherty owner of the vacated house, and she also referred the matter to the Board's solicitor.

Order - "Approved."

Submitted report stating amount of Town Rates collected was £ 134-4-1 - £ 14-1-10. less than the corresponding year period of last year.

It was proposed by Mr. Hayes, seconded by the Chairman that the collection be closed by the end of the month.

Read letter from the Minister of Defence re Athlone Air fighting Brigade expenses - which stated that if the amount (Three pounds) was not forwarded before Twenty One days - the Chief State Solicitor would be advised to institute legal proceedings for the recovery of the amount.

The matter was referred to the Board's solicitor. Clerk was instructed to inform the solicitor "that the Board gave no authority to summon the Brigade"

Ref. No. 11840/36 - dated 21st January 1936.

Read letter from the Housing Department recommending that the Board should formulate a further housing scheme, as according to the survey of housing needs - 45 houses are required by persons of the working classes.

It was unanimously decided to "build six more houses similar to those at the Convent site - &

The Minister to be requested to send down the Department's Engineer to select the sites."

Mr. Linceyan reported that Demery Sweeney owed 15 weeks Rent - and Joseph Daly 23 weeks - Rent of Bridewell Apartments.

Clerk reported that she notified Daly's sureties - Sweeney had no sureties as he signed an agreement that he would pay 1 week's Rent in advance in lieu of sureties.

Order - proposed by Mr. Flynn, seconded by Mr. Ward - "that proceedings be taken for the recovery of arrears;" passed unanimously.

X Submitted application signed by the Twelve Tenants at Abbey Terrace requesting to have their Rents reduced from six shillings per week to three shillings - and repayment of the loan extended -

After a lengthy discussion, on the matter the Board decided in taking no action in the matter.

Read letter from the Waterworks Committee signed by Mr. J. J. Danahy, Secretary, requesting the Board to keep in repair and in a reasonable tidy condition the road known as Baker's Corn.

The Board on Mr. Maylan's proposition seconded by Mr. Ryan "agreed to disclaim all responsibility for maintenance of road referred to."

On the proposition of Mr. Ward, seconded by Mr. Ryan, a vote of condolence was passed with the relatives of the late Rev. J. P. Pally, P. P. Ballymacward, who was a priest beloved by all, a great Churchman, Scholar and Sportsman.

Copy of the Resolution was ordered to be sent to most Rev. Mr. Wignam, Bishop of Cork, and relatives of deceased.

Mr. Conroy proposed a vote of sympathy with the relatives of the late Mrs. M. A. Murphy, Dun Kella St.

Mr. W. Ward proposed and Mr. M. Dynes seconded a vote of sympathy with Mr. M. Cahill, ~~brother~~ ^{brother} of the Chairman, on the recent lamentable death of his son James -

passed in silence"

Submitted bill for £5-15-0 signed Mr. M. Dunlop, M.C. being for inspecting & reporting on 23 houses at the Board's Request.

Order -

"Apply for the Minister's sanction before passing for payment"

Read letter dated 16th Dec-35. Ref. No. B.212290/35. H. U. Dept. requesting the Board "to take definite action in the matter of his recommendation ^{as appointed} of collector of Rent. The letter pointed out that Mrs. Dynes had not been sanctioned"

It was proposed by Mr. Mayhew seconded by Mr. Conroy that the appointment of collector be adjourned for one month owing to Mrs. Dynes

handing in his Resignation at this meeting"

Submitted certificates signed Mr. Lee Engineer, for £40-2-0 for Extras on the Cement site Raising Scheme - viz -
£31-10-0 for Retaining wall at Queen,
& Balance for foundations which were carried down to an average depth of 6' -

Order - "pay"

Read Mr. Lee's (Co. Surveyor's) Report dated 3rd July 1936 which stated that "the Roads had been somewhat cut up by the recent frost and snow," he recommended that "extra men should be employed and intensive tar patching carried out"

The Chairman proposed and Mr. Dynes seconded "that the matter receive immediate attention"

permission was granted Mr. Lee, Co. Surveyor, to enter the Board's (Field) Quarry at Galway Road on the same

terms as heretofore -

Clerk was instructed to "write Lhos. Dealy Map Hill, with a view to having iron railing outside his house repaired or removed altogether, as it is a danger to the public."

It was proposed by Mr. Dynes, seconded by Mr. Mayhew, "that Mr. V. P. Shields application, attend the taxation of Mr. Dynes' costs in connection with the various schemes etc., and see that his charges are correct before the Taxing Master."

"passed unanimously"

Submitted ~~the~~ application for £14-4-0 Income Tax for the 12 Houses erected at Cabbage Lane -

Order - "Refer to Mr. Dynes"

Submitted Clerk of Works Report dated 13/1/36, which stated he was not satisfied with the work on the Bridwell chimney -

Order "Noted"

Clerk of Works also reported re the Convent site and Athlery Road Housing Schemes, in which he stated "the floors in the Athlery Road houses were travelling away."

Order "Refer to Engineer"

Rate Collector (Miss Dynes) reported that the collection was in a satisfactory state -

Mr. Timmigan wrote stating "he would store the fire hose until such time as the Board got a suitable store."

"No Order made"

The following Bills were passed for payment -
 No 2 A/c. Mr. Dawling 15/- No 3 A/c. C. Donovan a/c. Messrs. O'Higgins £40-2-0, No 4 A/c. Clerk of Works £12 - General A/c. Amount of Bills presented & ordered to be paid £121-11-0 -

p Cahill 2.8.36

Minutes of proceedings of Monthly Meeting of the Lanchester Lanch Commissioners held on the 2nd day of March 1936.

In the Chair - Mr. P. Cahill, Chairman.

Members present - Messrs P. O'Byrne, M. Dynes, J. Connaire, P. Maylan, J. O'Keefe, and Mr. Ward.

The minutes of last meeting were read, confirmed and signed.

Read letter from Most Rev. Wm. Wignam Bishop of Clifton, thanking the Board for letter of sympathy on the death of Rev. J. A. Kelly P.P. R.I.P.

Read letter from the Waterworks Committee requesting the Board to have some old trees removed in the Walks which was

"Marked Read"

Read letter from the L. G. Dept. Ref. No. D. 30262/36 - dated 25/2/36 - which stated that the Minister would not be prepared to consider a further housing scheme of the type erected on the Convent site

until they have made an adequate provision for the rehousing of persons living in unfit houses.

Clerk was instructed to inform the Minister that there are forty new houses erected for the rehousing of the Working Class, and to request him to reconsider his decision regarding the Convent site plan."

~~On the motion of Mr.~~

Read letter from the L. G. Dept. dated 22nd July, asking what action was taken by the Board in the promotion of a scheme under the Acquisition of Land (Implementations) Act, 1926/34.

On the motion of Mr. O'Byrne, seconded by Mr. Ward, it was decided not to enforce the Act.

Read letter from the Minister L. G. Dept. stating he had nothing to add to his letter of 21st June last in which he recommended that the appointment of Collector of Rents of Artisan's Dwellings be entrusted to Mr. Finnegan,

The Chairman proposed and Mr. Ward seconded that Miss Nynes be Re appointed Rent Collector and that the Minister be requested to sanction her appointment.

Read letter from the L. G. Department requesting to be furnished with particulars of the Board's demand for a sworn inquiry into allegations made by their local Representative on the County Council, regarding the disbursement of monies received in respect of Road Contracts.

It was decided to apply to the Comptroller General's Office for a copy of the paper on which the alleged report appeared same to be forwarded to the L. G. Dept. It was also decided to apply to the Secretary C. Council for any particulars in his possession.

Submitted notice terminating the Road Contracts received from Mr. V. Keefe Esq. Co. Surveyor, as from 31st March 1936.

Read Mr. Cymon Subletor wrote stating that the County Council had power

to terminate the Road Contract on the 31/3/36. No Order made.

Submitted detailed account of Mr. Cymon's Bill of Costs which amounted to £422-5-0 in respect of Daulpin St., Convent site and Athery Road Housing Schemes.

Clerk Reported that there was already £400 paid on this A/c.

It was proposed by Mr. Nynes seconded by Mr. Ward and passed "That the Balance of £322-5-0 be paid to Mr. Cymon.

Submitted Mr. Macnicoll, (County Registrar) sealed certificate as to the fabrication of the costs.

A deputation from the Residents of the Hill appeared before the meeting with a view to having the Elec. Light extended to that locality.

After a lengthy discussion on the matter the meeting promised the deputation - to do everything in their power to have the lighting system extended.

Clerk was instructed to put on Agenda for next monthly meeting the co-optation of a member in honor of Mr. J. Finn.

An Order was made that Mr. Finnegan submit a list of defaulting Rate-payers to be perused by Messrs P. Cahill, M. Dynes & P. Coy. The collection to be closed as soon as possible and notification be given that the 1935-36 Rate is about being struck.

Mr. V. Higgins appeared before the meeting and appealed to the Board to settle his case outside Court, as his Brother who was carry out the Dairying Contracts had interest in the Ministry.

Mr. Dynes proposed and Mr. Ward seconded that the law take its course which was unanimously passed.

Clerk was instructed to apply to the Elec. Supply Board for ^{particulars} ~~particulars~~ for public street lighting at One Hundred pounds per annum.

Stephen Soale appeared before the meeting with a view to having the Agreement for No. 6 Daise Athinry Road, changed so that he would be the Recognised Tenant.

Clerk was instructed to ~~ask~~ ask Mr. Capon to have the Agreement signed by Stephen and Willie Soale as the names was given to the late Mrs. Julia Soale their mother.

P. Cahill 6.4.36

Minutes of proceedings of Monthly meeting of the Sanitary and Sewerage Commissioners - Monday April 6th 1936.

In the Chair - Mr. P. Cahill (Chairman)

Members present were -

Messrs P. Maylan,
Mr. U. Regan, Mr. Hynes, P. Coy,
L. Carty, J. Corry, J. Connair
& Mr. Flynn, Mr. Ward, and C. Coughlan.

Minutes of last meeting were read confirmed and signed -

Clerk reported that the Auditor David U. Keefe Esq. had surcharged Messrs P. Cahill, Mr. U. Regan and J. Corry for the sum of fifteen pounds being for expenses incurred by deputations to Dublin on December 18th 1934 and January 18th 1935 to Dept. of Industry and Commerce re proposed factory for the town of Rathfriland, also with the sum of five shillings & 5^d paid to Mr. Stanley Hynes for fees as Collector of Rents.

It was unanimously decided to appeal to the Minister for Local Government and Public Health against the surcharges, Clerk to draft and the appeal to be signed by the three members concerned.

The Board proceeded to elect a member to fill the vacancy caused by Mr. James Linn, notice of which was given on the agenda.

Mr. P. Coy proposed Mr. Edward Kelly Dunkellin Street
Mr. L. Carty seconded.

Mr. J. Corry proposed Mr. Martin Keane, Dalphin Street.
Mr. M. Hynes seconded.

On a poll being taken there voted -

For Mr. Kelly - Messrs J. Connair, P. Coy, L. Carty, C. Coughlan, Mr. Flynn and Mr. U. Regan. 6.

For Mr. Keane - Messrs J. Corry, Mr. Hynes, P. Maylan, Mr. Ward and P. Cahill (Chairman) 5.

The Chairman declared Mr. Edward

Kelly, elected as member of the Board.

Read letter from the Electric Supply Board dated 23rd March 1936, stating they were prepared to continue lighting 32/200 watt lamps as heretofore at a charge of £102 per annum for 1936/7, period. This meant cutting off 15 lamps from the existing lighting system -

It was unanimously decided not to alter the present lighting of H4/200 watt lamps, until such time as the public meeting representing all the Urban Councils in the Free State was held to make a joint protest against the high charges at present in operation for Electricity -

On the motion of Mr. Ryan, seconded by Mr. O'Regan a Resolution from the Ennis Urban Council was adopted protesting against the high charges for Electricity.

Clerk reported that Mr. Sumner Rate Collector did not submit his Report re Outstanding Rates for the 1935/36 period -

Gov Order was made to Request Mr. Sumner to attend special meeting on the 20th inst. to give an account of the Collection.

The Chairman reported that there were some names on the defaulters list who were not asked for Rates.

Payment of £4-8-3 paise on £118-8-3 Rates Lodged, was deferred until the Collector was closed.

A Civil Bill for Three pounds was submitted by the Minister for Defence in connection with the expenses incurred by the Athlone Fire fighting section on the 28th June 1934, at Mr. Maylan's premises - the case to come up for hearing on the 21st April 1936, at Naughton.

Clerk reported that it was Mr. Ryan's opinion ~~that~~ that the Board were not liable for the amount.

It was proposed by the Chairman, seconded by Mr. Ryan that Mr. Ryan submit the case on the 21/4/36, passed.

On the motion of Mr. M. Rynes seconded by Mr. P. Coy a Resolution from the Athlone Urban Council was adopted, calling on the Government to initiate a purchase scheme whereby occupants of houses erected by local authorities could become owners of their houses as in the case of labourers cottages -

Passed.

The striking of a Rate for the ~~1935/36~~ 1935/36 period was appointed to a special meeting to be held on the 20th April 1936.

It was proposed by Mr. Connel, and seconded by Mr. Rynes that the Board's Horse be sold by Auction on the 16th April 1936, and that Mr. P. Maylan be Auctioneer.

The Board decided in putting a reserved price of thirty pounds on the Horse.

Messrs Coy and Rynes were deputed to take an inventory of the Board's stock on Hand and report at next meeting.

On Mr. Coy's proposition it was decided to petition for a Reduction of the Rates on the Twelve new houses erected at "Abney Terrace".

Submitted application from the Local Innis Club for the loan of the Fire Hose.

The application was refused as there was a minute on the Books setting out that the Hose was for the use of the Board and was not to be lent to outsiders.

Mr. George Lee Engineer, submitted his Report dated 4th April 1936 stating that the repairs complained of in the Abney Terrace Houses and the Athlone Road were being attended to.

The Report was approved - af.

Read letter from Mr. Cyprian L. V. Solicitor stating that the Board were responsible for Schedule A Tax £14-14-0 for Abney Terrace House, he advised the Board to get the necessary forms if they were entitled to a claim.

Mr. Silvester Marmion's Tender, (the only one in order submitted) was accepted for the grazing of the Board's stock at £4-6-0 for the period ending 23rd April 1937 - on Mr. Cuy's proposition, seconded by Mr. Rynes -

Clerk was instructed to receive tenders for the ^{grazing} of the Wumping - ground, to be considered at special meeting on the 20/4/36 -

Mr. Willie Cuy submitted one pound for the heap of manure which was accepted, it being the only tender submitted -

On Mr. Corny's proposition seconded by Mr. Maylan the Board appointed Mr. Martin Ryan to care the horse and pay him one shilling per day, as remuneration for his services. Passed unanimously -

C. Couglin

As Mr. C. Couglin was the only member present at the meeting summoned for the 20th April 1936, no business was transacted it being postponed to the monthly meeting to be held on the 4th May 1936 -

I, Edw. Kelly - of Dunkellin
Street, Finghera, being a person
 appointed as Town Commissioner for
 the Town of Finghera in the
County of Galway hereby declare that
 I take upon myself the said office
 and will duly and faithfully fulfill
 the duties thereof to the best of my
 ability -

Dated this 5th day of May - 1936.

Signed - Edward Kelly

Declared before me this 5th day of May 1936.

H. M. Kelly
Town Clerk.

Minutes of proceedings of Monthly meeting of the Haughley Town Commissioners held on May 4th 1936.

In the Chair - Mr. C. Coughlan, (Act. Chairman)

Members present were -:

Messrs Mr. O'Regan, Mr. Hynes, H. Carty, Mr. Flynn, P. Maylan, J. Conroy, P. Coy, J. Conhair, and E. Kelly.

Mr. Edward Kelly, signed the usual declaration accepting his office, before taking his seat as Town Commissioner.

Minutes of last meeting were read, confirmed and signed -

Mr. O'Higgins Reps. of Messrs O'Higgins & Co. Contractors, appeared before the meeting and requested the Board to reconsider their decision as regards the fine for delay in completing the Athenry Road Haughs. He requested the Board to have the fine remitted if possible -

Mr. O'Higgins

After some discussion on the matter Mr. P. Coy. proposed and Mr. O'Regan seconded "That a resolution consisting of Messrs Mr. Hynes, Mr. O'Regan, and P. Coy. interview Mr. Cynn, Solicitor, and inform him that it was the general wishes of the Board to have the case between Messrs Tho. O'Higgins & Co. Building Contractors, and the Town Commissioners, settled outside Court."

"Passed"

Clerk reported that the amount of Retention money in the Athenry Road scheme was Two Hundred and fifty pounds.

Mr. Conroy proposed and Mr. Maylan seconded that the question of rescinding the order in the minutes directing Mr. Cynn, Solicitor to take legal proceedings against Messrs O'Higgins and Co. be adjourned for one month -

"Passed"

Clerk reported that the case between the Town Commissioners and the Minister for Defence came up for hearing on the 21st April 1935 at the District Court, the case being dismissed on the evidence of the Chairman - (Mr. P. Cahill.)

Mr. Lee, Engineer, submitted certificates for the sum of £157-13-0, being final payment on the Convent site scheme, to Messrs O'Regan & Co.

Mr. Lee stated in his report that an overpayment of £2-7-0 should be struck off and that it would be advisable for the Board to hold paying orders for £157-13-0, until Mr. Burke, H. G. Inspector made another inspection of the scheme -

proposed by Mr. Coy; Seconded by Mr. Connors to pass the amount for payment and defer until inspection is made.

dated 30/4/36 -
Ref. No. H. 75609/36.

Read letter from the Minister L. G. Dept. referring to application for Balance of Loan on the Convent site and Athenry Road Schemes, which stated that the Schemes had not been finally passed (passed) by the Department's Inspection.

Order "Noted"

Read letter from the Minister L. G. and P. H., which pointed out that the Board should declare the warrant for the 1935-36 closed and carry forward the amounts which are not recoverable to the Rate for 1936-37.

Clerk reported that there was not special meeting held on the 20th April 1935, owing to only one member (Mr. C. Coughlan) being present, and it was necessary to strike the 1935-36 Rate (at the monthly meeting which is being held on the 4th May 1936).

On the motion of Mr. P. Coy, Seconded by Mr. M. O'Regan, a Rate of one Shilling in the pound on Buildings and one fourth of such Rate on land, was struck for the 1935-36 period - and to request the Minister to postpone the striking of the 1936-37 Rate to 1937.

The Chairman then declared the Rate for the 1935-36 period was one Shilling in the pound and one fourth on land, which passed unanimously.

Mr. Sumeyan submitted Bill for £4-8-3 being package on £148-6-3. Tax Rate lodged in respect of 1934-35 period - @ 5%

Order - prop. by Mr. Flynn seconded by Mr. Coy that payment be deferred until Mr. Sumeyan submits his Report on the Collector.

Clerk was instructed to request Collector to submit Report for next monthly meeting.

Submitted the following Tenders for the dumping ground ^{field} -

William Mahoney	£2-10-0-
Sonnie Mahoney	2-15-0-
Mr. Callan	0-10-0-

Mr. Sonnie Mahoney's Tenders being the highest was accepted.

Mr. O'Regan was requested by the Board to bring the objectionable practice of dumping refuse in the watering place on the lake side, under the notice of the County Council.

Mr. P. Murray, Auctioneer, submitted a Cheque for thirty pounds for Horse sold by Auction belonging to the Board.

Mr. M. O'Regan proposed that the sympathy of the Board be extended to the Relatives of the late Mr. James Cosgrove Esq. J. W. and Mr. K. Luchman, Attorney, who were such a great loss to the County.

Mr. C. Coughlan (presiding Chairman) seconded the Resolution which was passed in silence.

On the motion of the Chairman, seconded by Mr. P. Coy a vote of sympathy was also passed with the Relatives of the late Mrs. Mary Smyth, widow of the late Mr. Walter Mahon Smyth, Attorney.

Clerk reported that Mr. B. O'Brien, Co. M. U. H. was visiting the town on the 2/5/36.
Re Housing Inspector

Submitted Report on the Audit of the Board's Accounts for the period ended 31st March 1935, signed David O'Keefe Esq. J. J. Auditor, which pointed out that fire insurance policies should be taken out immediately for the Artizans dwellings - also that

Adjustments between the Housing Dept. (Capital) and the Revenue Dept are necessary -
 The Report also stated that weekly lodgements should be made by the Collector of Rents of Artisans' Dwellings.

Mr. Rynes reported that owing to an outbreak of fire occurring in the Rent Collector's premises in which some of the Rent money got burned the Collector (Miss C. Rynes) had not lodged monthly the full amount of Rents collected but hoped to do so in a short time -

"No Order made"

Submitted application from the Tenants of the "Athens Road" Houses for the erection of a wall in front of their houses -

Submitted Rent Collector's Report which stated that the Collector was in a satisfactory state - the Report also referred to an complaint made by L. Managhan re his house at Athens Road.

Clerk was instructed to transmit copies of Tenants and Rent Collector's Report to Mr. Lee for his attention -

An Order was made to make application to the County Council to have the refuse removed weekly from premises in the town when there are no rear entrances,

Mr. S. Marmion wrote requesting a reduction in the Rent of grazing field, owing to the work going on in the Quarry some of the fencing was knocked down etc.

Messrs P. Maylan and J. Coory were deputed to inspect the field, and report on the matter, it was also decided to allow £2 (two pounds) to Mr. Marmion for the necessary repairs to the fences -

On Mr. Maylan's proposition, seconded by Mr. Coory the above Order was passed unanimously -

Submitted Agreement for Public Lighting, year ending 31st March 1937 - at the rate of Charge of £145-2-3.

On Mr. O'Regan's proposition, seconded by Mr. Coughlan the Board accepted the valuation submitted, provided a clause be inserted that "the Board be entitled to any reductions that may be made in the charges for electricity, within the period specified".

"Passed"

Submitted application from the Office of Public Works for payment of £204-16-4. Henry Interest due to 30th April 1936 on Form Nos. 8443, 8613, 8600.

Order - proposed by Mr. C. Coughlan, seconded by Mr. Hayes to advance the payment until next monthly meeting when rents would be collected to meet the charge.

"Passed"

Submitted the following Report Re Bridewell Rent arrears -:

Henry Sweeney	16 weeks @ 2/-	£1 = 12 = 0.
Joseph Daly	19 " " "	1 = 18 = 0.

Notify tenants that proceedings will be taken if all arrears are not cleared within fourteen days.

X Request Henry Sweeney to submit the names of two sureties to next meeting.

Submitted the names of Michael McLaughlin and Patrick Monaghan as sureties for Thomas Hayes, tenant of rooms in Bridewell, which was accepted.

Messrs Mr. Hayes, & G. Conroy ~~and~~ were deputed by the Board to take an inventory of the Board's stock, and submit to next meeting.
Martin Ryan, late employee of the Board, to meet the deputation at the Bridewell.
J. Cahill 1.6.36

Minutes of proceedings of Monthly meeting of the Loughrea Town Commissioners held on Monday 1st June 1936

In the Chair - Mr. P. Cahill, (Chairman)

Members present - Messrs E. Kelly, C. Coughlan, M. Flynn, J. Coburne.

Minutes of last meetings were read confirmed and signed.

Mr. S. Marmion, submitted cash £7-5-0 being Rent for Grazing Field 23/4/36 to 23/4/37 and Mr. S. Mahony - £2-15-0 Rent of Dumping ground Field - period from 4th May 1936 to 4th May 1937 -

Mr. S. Marmion also submitted a bill for £2 (Two pounds) being cost of fencing grazing field - which was ordered to be paid - on Mr. Coughlan's proposition, seconded by Mr. Flynn.

? X Read letter from the Minister for L. & P. H. regarding poor rates for the "Abney Terrace" houses - which stated that the Minister has no functions as regards the assessment of such rates.

Read letter from the Secretary Galway Council Re said poor Rates, which stated that the C. Council had no powers to levy a different rate on those houses, but application for a revision of the poor law valuations could be made on or before the 24th June 1936.

After some discussion on the matter it was decided to leave the matter in the hands of the Tenant's Solicitor, (Mr. V. P. Shields.)

Read letter from the Secretary County Council dated 15th May 1936, informing the Board that arrangements were being made to have the refuse removed weekly from houses in the town that had no rear enclosures.

Order - "Approved"

~~Messrs~~ M. Flynn and the Chairman were deputed to interview Mr. S. Mahony Tenant of the Dumping ground Field with a view to having part of the field set aside for dumping refuse of the town.

Read letter from the L. G. Dept. dated 23rd May 1936 Ref. No. G. 102824/36 which stated that "The Minister is not prepared to propose the striking of the 1936/37 Rate, as the warrant for the 1935/36 period should be closed and the collectable Rates carried forward to the current year's Warrant."

It was proposed by the Chairman seconded by Mr. E. Kelly that the terms of the Minister's letter dated 23rd May 1936 be carried out and that one shilling in the pound be struck as Jan Rate for the current year 1936/37 and that the 1935/36 Warrant be closed and the collectable Rates carried forward into the current year's Warrant."

"passed Unanimously"

Submitted Mr. P. J. Sinnegan's Report Re Rate Collection which stated that "The Collection was closed since the 31st March 1936, the amt. of Rates Lodged being £148-6-3" he also submitted Bill for £4-8-3 being poundage on amount Lodged @ 5th p =

Mr. Coughlan proposed and Mr. Flynn seconded - "That payment of poundage on amount of Rates Lodged be deferred until Mr. Sinnegan submits his Report regarding the list of Outstanding Rates forwarded to him on the 20/5/36"

"passed Unanimously"

Mr. George Lee Engineer, write stating it would be advisable to have a concrete wall erected in front of the Athney Row Houses.

Mr. Lee also stated that he did not think the Contractor could be held responsible for repairs, as the House were in perfect condition when handed over. He (Mr. Lee) recently inspected a house in Athney Road where portion of the skirting was deliberately pulled out."

Mr. Coughlan proposed and Mr. Cahill seconded "that Mr. Lee be written to with a view to ascertaining if the front wall referred to was included in the Contractor's Tender" It was also decided to draw the Engineer's attention to a leaking Sewerage Basin and a crack in the ceiling of No 9 House, Athney Road."

Clerk reported that Bank Books were not submitted for checking.

An Order was made that "Collection be requested to submit Books for checking also her Reports Re weekly lodgements."

Submitted Quotations from the Irish Public Bodies Mutual Insurance Co. Re Fire Insurances on 25 Artizans Dwellings - at a Rate of $1\frac{1}{3}\%$ - and from the Irish National Assurance Co. Ltd. at a Rate of $1\frac{1}{6}\%$

Proposed by Mr. Flynn, Seconded by Mr. Coughlan it was unanimously decided to accept the Irish Public Bodies Insurance Co's Quotation @ $1\frac{1}{3}\%$ - it being the lowest rate submitted.

Submitted Circular C 81/3/1/36 from the Office of Public Works, which was "noted" referring to Interest chargeable on Overdue Accs.

On the Chairman's proposition Seconded by Mr. Connors the Board extended sympathy to Mr. C. Coughlan (a most highly Esteemed member of the Board)

I, ~~Martin O'Regan~~ ^{Martin O'Regan} being a person Elected as Chairman for Traughra Town Commissioners in the County of Galway hereby declare that I take the said Office upon myself and will duly and faithfully fulfil the Duties to the Best of my judgement and ability.

Dated this 26th day of June 1936.

Signed by above Martin O'Regan.

Declared before me this 26th June 1936.

~~A. M. Kelly,~~

Town Clerk.

on the recent death of his father - the late Mr. J. Coughlan.

On the proposition of Mr. C. Coughlan, seconded by Mr. Cahill (Chairman) a vote of sympathy was passed with Mrs. Mulcairn and family on the death of her husband the late Mr. James Mulcairn, Solicitor, "who was for many years a highly esteemed member of this Board."

The Chairman proposed and Mr. Coughlan seconded that the Minister for Local Government & Public Health be requested to sanction Miss Carmel Hayes as collector of Rents of Artisan's Dwellings and that he (the Minister) be reminded that Mr. P. J. Linnegan has a whole time position under the Galway County Council as ganger on the Roads.

"passed Unanimously"

M. O'Riordan
6/7/36.

Minutes of proceedings of Annual Meeting of the Galway Town Commissioners held on Friday the 26th day of June 1936.

In the Chair - Mr. Chas. Coughlan (Acting Chairman)

Members present - Messrs M. O'Regan, P. Coy, Edward Kelly, J. Connors, C. Coughlan, R. Carty, M. Flynn.

Clark notified the meeting, which was assembled, the purpose for which it was held that was - "the Election of Chairman for the ensuing year."

On the proposition of Mr. P. Coy, seconded by Mr. R. Carty, the Board Unanimously elected Mr. M. O'Regan, C. C. Chairman for the coming year.

Mr. O'Regan, who then signed the usual Declaration, accepting his office, thanked the members in suitable terms for electing him as Chairman to the Town Commissioners.

No other Business was transacted.

M. O'Riordan
6/7/36

Minutes of proceedings of Monthly meeting of the Raughraun Town Commissioners held on Monday 6th day of July 1936-

In the Chair - Mr. M. O'Regan - (Chairman)

Members present - Messrs C. Coughlan, Mr. Dynes, P. Coy, J. Coy, Mr. Flynn, P. Maglann, J. Ahndrie & E. Kelly -

Minutes of last monthly meeting and Annual meeting were read confirmed and signed.

Read letter from Mr. G. Lee, Engineer, stating the front wall referred to was not included in the Contract for the Stranery Road houses.

Mr. Lee submitted Estimate for a wall including gates similar to wall erected at Cabbage Lane - (at £.45 - -)

Clerk was instructed to procure specifications for next meeting, as the Board and a Captain the front wall was included in the Contractor's Tender.

Read letter from the E.S. Board dated the 20th ult. which stated that no reduction in the charges already agreed upon for public lighting will be made during the current year -
No Order made.

The Board agreed to extend the time for Mr. Marmion to complete the fencing of the grazing field, Mr. Coy reported that some of the fencing had been done, and there was no trespass.

The Chairman reported that Mr. Lee, Es. Surveyor, informed him that the County Council had no control over the watering place on the lake road.

It was decided to call the attention of the Board of Health to the matter.

The Chairman proposed and Mr. Concise seconded that Mr. S. Mahoney be allowed two pounds for the erection of a fence to enclose plot to be used as a dumping ground, at the lake side.

Messrs Maglann and Coy were deputed to report on the matter.

Messrs Coy and Dynes reported that they were unable to take a list of the stock in the Board's possession as Martin Ryan, failed to turn up with the keys of the stores.

Seconded

Mr. Coy proposed and Mr. Connors, and it was passed by the Board - that "That Mr. J. Linnegan submit a list of stock in the Bride well premises to next meeting."

Mr. J. Linnegan submitted made a Verbal Report regarding the list of Outstanding Rates for the 1934-35 period - he stated that the Electricity Supply Board, the Lawn Hall and 3 other houses in the town were entitled to exemption the amount lodged being £148-8-3.

The Chairman proposed that Mr. Linnegan submit a written Report on the Rate Collection for the 1934-35 period to next meeting, the motion was seconded by Mr. Coughlan and passed.

After some discussion on the matter it was proposed by Mr. Coughlan seconded by Mr. Connors and passed - "That Mr. Linnegan's Bill for poundage be paid."

Read letter Ref. No. H. 45609/36 dated 8/6/36 H. of Department which stated that the Boundary wall of the Connors site Houses and the defective plaster of the Athlone Road houses should be rectified at once by the Board's Engineer."

Clerk reported that she forwarded a copy of said letter to the Board's Engineer on 14th ulto.

Order - "Approved"

Submitted letters of complaints from Mrs. Casey, Michael Barrett and R. Kavanagh on the condition of their houses - and that 4 of the Houses are stopped up owing to the cement falling away from Manhole. The Rent Collector also reported that there were a number of complaints about bad-fitting doors, etc. in the Athlone Road Houses.

Clerk was instructed to bring the matter under the notice of the Contractor and request the Engineer to make a general inspection of the nine houses -

Read letter from the Board of Health dated 2nd July 1936. Referring to Circular No. H. 48/36. Re Public Bathing Resorts.

Clerk reported that she had written for the necessary Circular referred to and was awaiting a reply.

Order - "Adjourn to next meeting."

Read letter from the L. G. Department stating that pursuant to Section 12 (2) of the Local Services Act 1934, the deductions to be made for the year 1934-35 of Dr. A. W. Cuymer, Sal; to be nil.

Order "Noted."

Submitted Certificates from the Housing Department for £23 being first instalment of grant payable to Mr. Edward Kelly, Monkellin St. and £23 to Mr. M. Dunchy, Barrack Street.

Order - "Noted."

After a lengthy discussion regarding Street Trading, the Board protested

against the Lovers people supporting Travelling Leaders. The Board also protested against supporting Travelling Bread-vans visiting the town.

The Board had under discussion the question of establishing a Factory in Naughree.

The Clerk was instructed to "Communicate with the Industrial Development Association with a view to obtaining a list of the firms, who were anxious to start factories in Ireland."

The Board on Mr. Coughlan's proposition seconded by the Chairman unanimously agreed in formulating a further Housing Scheme under the Housing (Miscellaneous provisions) Act, 1934, and decided in requesting the Minister's sanction for the erection of twelve Working Class Houses and twelve Better-Class Houses in the town.

Clerk reported that she received the usual Query Form in connection with Miss Rynes' appointment as Rent Collector of Artisans' Dwelling.

Read letter from the L. G. Dept. dated
2nd July 1936 Ref. No. H. 131919/36 Referring
to Rent Collector's appointment which
stated that "the nature and amount
of the proposed security must be given"

on the proposition of Mr. Conry. Seconded Mr. Moylan.
Clerk was directed to reply to the Minister's
letter and state that fifty pounds
was the amount of the proposed
Security Bond to be signed by
Messrs W. J. Duffy Main Street and
Michael Dehogue Main Street.

Read letter of thanks from Mrs. M.
Mulcais Cross Street for vote of
sympathy passed on the death
of her husband the late Mr.
James Mulcais Solicitor.

The Chairman (Mr. M. O'Regan) gave
notice that he would move at next
monthly meeting "that the Resolution
on the Minutes Condemning the
1916 Rebellion and the men who gave
their lives for the Country be
expunged"

M. O'Regan
17/8/36.

~~Proceed~~ Proceed

Minutes of proceedings of Monthly Meeting
of the Keshoree Fair Commissioners
held on Monday 3rd day of August 1936.

In the Chair - Mr. Mr. Dyer, Ach. Chairman.

Members present were - Messrs E. Kelly,
P. Cahill, P. Coy, J. Coshy, P. Maylan,
and J. Annair -

Mr. J. Coy proposed a vote of condolence
with the widow, mother and relatives
of the late Mr. Patrick Hogan, J. W.,
who met his death under such tragic
circumstances, "on the great loss they,
as well as Ireland had sustained,
on the lamented death of their great
statesman."

Mr. Coy also tendered, on behalf of the Board,
to Mr. Martin Ward, a member of the Board,
deepest sympathy on the death of his
wife - "a lady simple and respected by all."

Mr. P. Cahill seconded the Resolutions with
Mr. P. Coy, associating himself with the
Resolutions, which were passed in silence.

Mr. E. Kelly proposed and Mr. Cahill
seconded that the sympathy of the
Board be extended to Mrs. Murphy, Millmount,
on the death of her husband the
late Mr. Laurence Murphy.

The Resolution was passed in silence.
The Meeting then adjourned for a
fortnight without transacting any business
as a mark of respect to the memory
of the deceased.

M. Hogan
17/8/36

Minutes of proceedings of Adjourned Monthly meeting of the Loughkeel Town Commissioners held on Monday 17th August 1936.

In the Chair - ~~Mr. P. Cahill~~ Chairman.
In the Chair - Mr. M. V. Regan, Chairman.

Members present - Messrs P. Maylan,
L. Carty, M. Dynes, E. Kelly, J. Cooney
and J. Connaile.

Minutes of last meetings were read, confirmed and signed.

Submitted Rate Collector's Report dated 3rd Aug. 1936, which stated that the amount of Town Rates outstanding for the 1934/35 period was £35-5-10 plus £34-4-4 arrears carried forward.

The Board ordered that Rate Collector submit his Report on the List of Defaulting Rate payers to next meeting.

Read letter from G. Galway Board of Health requesting to have the Board's suggestions as regards the protection of the water-plant at Lakeside.

On Mr. Cooney's proposition seconded by the Chairman the Board decided to inform the Board of Health that it would be advisable to have the place

cleaned and a notice Board put up warning persons from dumping refuse therein.

Submitted Mr. Lee's (Engineer's) Report dated 21st July 1936, on the Slenny Road Houses, which stated that the Contractor has agreed to have all the defects referred to in his Report, carried out free.

The Report was "approved of"

Read letter dated 11th July 36, Ref. No. H. 141435/36 L. H. Department inquiring if the Commissioners wish to receive contributions to Loan Charges for the period ended 31/3/35 and 31/3/36 in respect of Loans of £1,040 and £1,466. This forfeiting contributions during the 36th and 37th years of the loan period.

Mr. Carty proposed and Mr. Dynes seconded that application be made for contributions for the period ended 31/3/35 and 31/3/36.

passed unanimously.

Clerk was instructed to pay £1-0-9 being Bal. of Instalment due 1st May 1936. Board of Works.

The Board decided not to have the Clerk's Society Bond renewed.

until such time as there was money issued for contingencies.

Read letter from E. M. Jorde Esq., Secretary Dept. of Industry & Commerce dated 15th July 36. Ref. No. J. I. D. 258/46 stating there was no list available of firms who might be willing to start industries in the Govt. The letter stated that the Minister when approached by parties about to start industries would avail of any opportunity that arises of pressing the claims of financial for an industry.

Clerk was instructed to write Frank Fahy Esq. Conn Com hairle, Re proposed factory, for any available information on the matter.

X Read letter from Mr. Lee, Engineer, which stated that the fifty pounds extra on the Athney Road Contract, did not include the Boundary wall in front of the Houses only the wall at the Rear.

X Chairman proposed and Mr. Coney seconded to adjourn the matter to next meeting when Bill of quantities would be produced together with specifications.

Read letter dated 10th July 36, from Mr. Cym solicitor, which stated he wrote to Mr. Lee, C. Surveyor on the 5th May last, to see if he could extend the time for Messrs V. Higgins, Contractors, the letter also stated that he wrote again on the 12th May forwarding information required and had not since heard from him.

Clerk was instructed to write Mr. Cym again on the matter.

Read letter dated 10th Aug. 1936 Ref. S. J. G. D. Re Surcharge of £15- which stated that an order was made to pay on condition that the amount would be refunded by the J. D. Association if surcharged. The letter requested the Board to see that the amount is refunded.

Order - "Refer to Chairman and adjourn to next meeting"

Submitted List of stock signed P. J. Finnegan. After perusing the list the Board discovered the following missing ^{articles} from list submitted -
Sweeping Machine Brush 3 shovels.
1 Sledge 1 pickaxe, 1 Fork, 1 Crow bar
1 Riddle 1 Line, 2 saws, planks, slasher,
1 Stand pipe, 4 seats.

An Order was made to ask Mr. Finnegan to submit an explanation to next meeting.

Mr. Dynes proposed and the Chairman seconded that the Board's stock be disposed of -

The following were deputed to dispose of said stock & report to next meeting -
The Chairman, Mr. Dynes and E. Kelly -

Galway County

The Board's permission was given to Chairman to ask the Council to rent the Stores -

Clall was instructed to write Galway Inam and Ballinashie Councils with a view to finding out if they required any of the Board's stock -

Rent Collector's Bill for Commission was passed for payment pending sanction -

Mr. Conroy proposed and Mr. Connair seconded that £2- be paid Mr. Mahoney for fencing field -
Order - "pay"

The Board extended sympathy to Mr. P. Jennings & family on the lamentable death of his wife.

The Chairman moved his motion -
"That the Resolution inserted in the Books condemning the 1916 Rebellion and the men who gave their lives for the Country be expunged"
Mr. L. Carty seconded the Resolution

which was passed after a heated discussion on the matter.

The pay sheet was signed by the Chairman and the members of the Board, all payments entered therein -

M. J. Higgins
21/9/36

The monthly meeting summoned for 4th Sept. 1936 was not held owing to a sufficient number of members not being present to form a quorum (Mr. Messers O'Regan, Coy and Connair) all Business was adjourned to 21st Sept. 1936 -

M. J. Higgins
21/9/36

Minutes of proceedings of Monthly Meeting of the Sanitary Board Commissioners held on Monday 21st September 1936 -

In the Chair - Mr. M. O'Regan, (Chairman)

Members present were - Messrs E. Kelly, C. Coughlan, L. Carty & J. Connair -

Minutes of last meeting were read, confirmed & signed -

Mr. C. Coughlan drew the Board's attention to a Resolution in the Books dated 1st March 1920 which dealt with the Resolution "Deploing the 1916 Rising" & stated that the Resolution which was then carried unanimously would have to be rescinded before the Resolution dated 14th August 1936, referring to the same matter could be dealt with -

The Board unanimously agreed in leaving the matter in ~~regards~~ and if any question arises the Board can reply to it -

Read letter from the G. G. Dept. dated 25th August 1936 Ref. No. 108485/36 Re: Surcharge of £15 - inquiring if the amount had been recovered & lodged to the credit of the Board -

Chairman proposed and Mr. Connair seconded to adjourn the matter to next monthly meeting -

"passed unanimously" -

Read correspondence from Mr. A. V. Cuymer & Co and Mr. G. Lee, B.E. painter and that it would be doubtful if the Board would be justified in enforcing the penalty clause against Messrs J. O'Regan & Co. Contractors for the Athlone Road new Houses.

It was unanimously decided to adjourn consideration of the matter to next monthly meeting - Mr. O'Regan to be invited to attend!

Submitted certificate for payment of £232-15 Messrs J. O'Regan & Co. signed Mr. G. Lee, dated 21/9/36 - being final instalment due on the Athlone Road Contract.

The Chairman proposed and Mr. Carty seconded to hold over payment of final instalment until a settlement is arrived at -

"passed unanimously" -

Submitted Report from Dr. B. O'Brien, C.M.O.H on Housing conditions in the town, which condemned twenty Houses, etc. The Report stated that twenty Working

Class houses and Twelve Better class houses were needed in the town -

The Chairman proposed and Mr. Coughlan seconded that the C. M. U. H.'s Report be approved and that the Minister's sanction be requested to have twenty working class houses erected to replace those condemned on the C. M. U. H.'s Report, and that the Minister's sanction for the erection of Twelve Better class houses be also (jointly) requested - "passed unanimously"

A Demand for poor Rates on the "Alley Terrace" Houses was referred to Mr. Cusum, Solicitor, for advice.

Clerk was instructed to apply for quotations for a small high efficiency Hero Engine, and steel lining hose that will bear pressure, to be considered at next monthly meeting, when the forming of a Volunteer force to be trained as a Fire Brigade will be discussed.

Mr. Coughlan proposed and Mr. Carty seconded that Twelve shillings be paid Wm. Gately for drying & cleaning Fire Hose. Order - "pay"

Clerk was instructed to write L. G. Dept.

with a view to obtaining the Minister's sanction for 66 $\frac{2}{3}$ % subsidy towards the erection of the Boundary wall in front of the Attorney Road Houses, (Estimated cost being £50 +)

Submitted Mr. P. J. Limerick's explanation Re Re articles missing from "List of stock" which was approved -

The Warrant for the 1935-36 and 1936-37 Poor Rates was signed by all members present and an Order made that the Rate be closed by the 31st March 1934 - and Rate collector to submit his Report regarding the defaulting Ratepayers for the 1934-35 period, to next Monthly meeting for the Board's consideration -

Submitted Report from Mr. Hagan Sup. San. Officer, Re Bridwell Sewerage which was referred to the Chairman of the Waterworks Committee -

Chairman reported that he was informed by Mr. Lee C. Surveyor that the C. Council did not require the Board's stables or stores -

An Order was made to advertise the Harness and Lion Coven for sale and accept Orders for consideration -

at next monthly meeting -

Rent Collector's Report was referred to Mr. G. Lee, Engineer -

A Demand for Income Tax on the Abbey Terrace House was adjourned -

Mr. Cairns proposed and the Chairman seconded a vote of sympathy with Mrs. Yelder on the lamentable death of her daughter -

An Order was made to pay the first & second moiety poor Rates on the Bridewell premises for the period ending 31st March 1934, in order to be allowed discount of one month current Rate under provisions 10. L. G. (Rates on Small Dwellings) Act 1928,

The Chairman proposed & Mr. Coughlan seconded that £4-18-9 be paid for the 1st premium Fire Insurance Policy No. 6186 on Twenty Six Artizans Dwellings Amount Insured - ~~£2,100~~ 4,900 - "passed"

The sum of 8/9 was ordered to be paid being renewal on Fire Insurance for the Bridewell premises - Policy No. 1922 - (Both Policies with the Irish Public Bodies Mutual Insurance Ltd.)

W. Rogers
12/10/36

Minutes of proceedings of Monthly meeting of the Langhew Lane Commissioners held on Monday 12th day of October 1936 -

In the Chair - Mr. M. V. Regan, (Chairman) Members present were Messrs P. Moylan, P. Coy, E. Kelly, J. Cooney, L. Carly, C. Coughlan, J. Conroy, & Mr. Flynn -

Minutes of last meeting were read confirmed and signed -

Clerk was instructed to write to Rate Collector to have him submit his report on the 1934-35 list of Rate Defaulters to next meeting Nov. 2nd, which was submitted to him last May -

Consideration of the "Penalty Clause" on the Abbey Road Contract was adjourned to next monthly meeting, Messrs V. Higgins & Co. Contractors to be invited to attend.

Read letter from Mr. Cuyson, Solicitor referring to demand for poor Rates on the "Abbey Terrace" houses which stated "that the Commissioners were bound to pay these Rates and afterwards recover them in the Rent from the Tenants."

Clerk was instructed to notify the Tenants re the payments of said Rates and forward demand notes to collector of Rent for collection -

An Order was also made that application be made to the Department for a longer term loan for "Abbey Terrace" houses, so that they could be let at a more reduced Rent. Consideration of letter from the Minister of Dept. referring to six charges of £15 - was further adjourned to next monthly meeting.

The Tender of £2 submitted by Joseph Curney, Comona, for set of Amos's Harness was accepted, it being the only Tender submitted. There was no Tender for the Lion-Corner which was referred to Mr. John Coughlan, for disposal.

Submitted circular from the Department regarding the acquisition of land for allotment purposes for unemployed persons for the 1934 Season.

Mr. Coy proposed and the Chairman seconded that notice be given inviting applicants for next monthly meeting - "Passed".

Read letter from Mr. Murray, Insurance Inspector demanding payment of £11-5-0 in respect of N. A. and W. J. Insurance for Brendan Sweeney Clerk of Works and Canal Pipes, Rent Collector.

After some discussion on the matter it was proposed by Mr. Connors seconded by Mr. Curry to refer the claim in respect of Brendan Sweeney to Mr. Cynan Subicton, and pay Rent Collector's portion.

Clerk was instructed to make application for payment of Rent Collector's share of Insurance. Mr. Walsh, Landlord of No. 5, "Alley Sweeney" wrote stating that he intended vacating his house on the 16th inst.

An Order was made to advertise for applicants to be considered at next meeting 2nd Nov.

Clerk was instructed to insert a clause in said advertisement stating that the Incoming Landlord would be liable for arrears of Rent dating from the 16th inst.

* Mr. Coy -

A subcommittee consisting of (the Chairman) Messrs Mr. O'Regan, C. Coughlan, J. Maylan and J. Curry was appointed to consider quotations for received from the different firms for the supply of a Fire Engine.

Clerk was instructed to notify Mrs. Loughname, Dunkellin St. to vacate her house which was condemned by the C. M. O. H. and a danger to the public. The Order was made on the motion of Mr. Coughlan seconded by the Chairman. Mr. Coy drew the Board's attention to the condemned houses in Alley St. with a view to having them demolished.

The Board had under consideration the desirability of establishing a new fair to be held on the last Thursday in July, (to include Sheep, Cattle & pigs). An Order was made to communicate with Mr. J. Ryan, Ball Keeper & steps be taken to have the fair established. Read letter from the Housing Dept. (C. G. O. H.) acknowledging receipt of the C. M. O. H.'s Report on the condemned houses in the town, & requesting to be furnished with a sketch showing the position of the houses referred to and a statement of the number in family in said houses.

On the proposition of Mr. Curry, seconded by Mr. Connors the Board unanimously appointed Mr. Joseph Gilchrist, Sarsheara, as their Engineer for the Banking Schemes being formulated by them. Mr. Maylan brought under the Board's notice the failure of Messrs Keene's Reps. in attending weekly at the scale to buy supplies of pigs. An Order was made to write Messrs Keene about the matter and invite Mr. Donaghmore, Alley, to the town to attend weekly to buy up supplies of pigs. An Order was made to notify Rev. Sweeney to submit the names of 2 Sureties to sign his agreement. Only to be written to re arrears of Rent.

2/11/36

Convent site Housing Scheme

Erection of 4 Dwelling Houses -

Contractor - Messrs J. Higgins & Co. Galway.

Amount of Contract = ~~£1466~~ £1582-

1 st	Instalment	P.O. No 117.	16 th Jan 35.	£ 350-
2 nd	"	" No 122	5 th Feb. 1935.	£ 150-
3 rd	"	" No 126	5 th March 1935.	£ 132-

		£ 632-
Balance undischarged.		£ 950-
		<u>£ 1582-</u>

Balance of Contract due to above
Sept. 1st 1936 = £154-13-0-

Athenry Road Housing Scheme

Erection of 9 Houses -

Contractor - Messrs J. Higgins Galway.

Amount of Contract -	£ 2,492-19-3-
Boundary wall at back -	50-0-0

Total payment to date 1 st Sept 1936 =	2542-19-3	19-3
	2242-	0-0
Balance =	£ 300-19-3	

1st Instalment P.O. No. 121 - 5th July 35 = £300-

2nd Instalment P.O. No. 124 - 5th March 35 = 192-

Balance undischarged = £492-

October 1936 - Balance undischarged to Contractor -	380-19-3
Deductions from contract for work not carried out -	68-12-3
Balance due =	£ 232-7-0

No 4 scheme =

Tender for above sanctioned October 1934 -

Declared Contractor by the Board 6th Nov. 1934 -

Signed his Bond with Solicitor Dec. 1934 -

Contract due for completion 1st April 1935 -

Contract completed - 5th December 1935 -

Clerk of Works employed from 4th May 1935 to 22/1/36 -

Payments made 1st March 1936 at £4 per week = £140-13-4

(4/5/35 to 5/12/35 = Estimated Rent @ 2/9 wkly = £34-0)

Amount of Loan £ 2,833-

Messrs J. V. Higgins & Co. 450

Contract for Erecting 12 Houses -
in Danphin Street - £ 3,479-19-4.

Sanction for
Received from Local Loan Fund } £ 4,040.

31st Aug. 34 - Already paid Contractor (1st & 2nd instalment) 800-0-0
" " " Clerk of Works = 64.6-8.
June 34 - " " " Mr. A. J. Cyprian = 300-0-0

Already Expended - £ 1,164-6-8
Amount Undischarged = £ 1,332-13-4.

June 1934 Received first instalment of loan - £ 1,000 -
July 1934 " Second instalment " " 1,500 -

£ 2,500

1934 Amount of loan Undischarged - £ 1,332-13-4

Sept. 3rd 1934 Advanced to Clerk of Works £ 16- } 816-0-0

" 3rd " " Contractor (3rd instalment) £ 800- } 516-13-4

Sept. 3rd 1934 Balance Undischarged = £ 100-0-0

Oct. 6th 1934 = Advanced to Contractor : £ 116-13-4

Am't of loan - £ 4,040-0-0 } 116-13-4

Am't Expended - 2,500 } 16-0-0

to be repaid = £ 1,540-0-0 } £ 100-13-4

Applied for 13/10/34 =

19/11/34 - Advanced to Contractor £ 800 - Bal.

Building Order No 3 - 1933.

Under the Housing of the Working Classes Acts - Erection of 12 houses in Cabbage Lane

Estimate of total cost of acquiring the sites Building 12 Houses thereon, less costs, costs of mortgage to Commissioners of Public Works, application for loans of £4,043 to complete scheme was made 1st Dec. 1933.

Particulars: -

Erection of 12 Houses @ £290 = £ 3,480

Engineer's fee @ 5% 144

Cost of works " " 144

Cost of sites (H) 65

Estimated cost of owners making title which Commissioners agreed to pay 30

Estimated legal expenses including advertisements stamp duty etc.. 100

Estimated cost of mortgage 20

£ 4,043

Sanctioned 6/1/34 No H 1140348/33

The above was sanctioned dated 8th March 1934.

Ref. No 23228/1934.

4 tenders for erection of above were considered at meeting held 15/1/34 -

Messrs Higgins & Co. Galway. Mr. G. B. Black Athlone, Mr. J. Mich Mitchell, Galway. Mr. R. Mac Donald, Galway, Mr. W. Mc Donnell, Loughrea, Messrs P. Coy & M. Nevin, Galway, Mr. C. V. Niell, Co. Clare.

Messrs J. Higgins & Co. being the lowest was accepted @ £ 3,444-19-4-

Jan. 8th 1934 - Lodged deposits as under -

P.O. No. 144. Thomas Mitchell - £ 5-0-0

" No 145 Jan 9th Cornelius V. Niell - 5-0-0

" " 146 " 10th Messrs W. G. Black & Co. 5-0-0.

" " 148. " 11th Messrs R. Mac Donald & Co. 5-0-0.

" No 144. " 12th Messrs P. Coy & M. Nevin 5-0-0

" " 144. " 15th Mr. J. Mich Mitchell. 25-0-0

P.O. No. 143. " 12th " " 5-0-0.

March 3rd Messrs J. Higgins & Co. 30-0-0

Total = £ 85

Refunded Feb. 1934. 55.

Retained in Bank £ 30 to Credit Re J. Higgins Contract.

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